

WEATHER FORECAST
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday:
Victoria and vicinity—Easterly and
southerly winds, cloudy and cold to-day,
milder with rain on Thursday.
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds,
cloudy and cold to-day, milder with rain
on Thursday.

Victoria Daily Times

NO MEETINGS TO-NIGHT
All engagements are cancelled owing to
prohibitory Order-in-Council against
public assemblies.

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GERMANS SEND AGENTS TO FOCH FOR TERMS

ALLIES ADVANCING AND POUNDING SHATTERED GERMAN ARMIES WHILE THEY CONTINUE RAPID WITHDRAWAL

Charles Still Clings to Tottering Throne

Basel, Nov. 6.—Reports to the effect
that Emperor Charles intends to abdi-
cate are denied in an official dispatch
from Vienna.
Another message from Vienna says
that the Emperor and Empress drove
in the public parks there on Sunday
and received cordial salutations from
the public.

DELEGATION LEFT BERLIN THIS AFTERNOON FOR WESTERN FRONT TO ASK FOCH TO TELL ALLIES' TERMS

British, French and American Forces Under Foch's Masterly Direction Hurling Invaders From French Soil; To-day's Official Reports

London, Nov. 6.—Forced to a realization of impending
peril by the progress of the British forces southeast of Val-
enciennes, and the French and American forces south of
Sedan, Germany's shattered armies are in rapid retreat be-
tween the Belgian frontier and the Aisne River. So rapid
is the retirement that it is very difficult to determine the
exact location of the contending forces along this eighty-
five miles of front.

British forces have cleared the barrier of the Mormal
Forest and threaten to drive a wedge between Mons and
Mauberge. To the south the French have launched an attack that has
forced the enemy back from three to four miles, while along the Meuse
the Americans, in close co-operation with the French just to the west-
ward, have overcome a stubborn resistance by the enemy and moved
still nearer the Sedan-Longuyon railroad.

ENEMY'S POSITION NOW IS DESPERATE

His Problem of Retreat Grows Hourly; 140 of His Di- visions Beaten

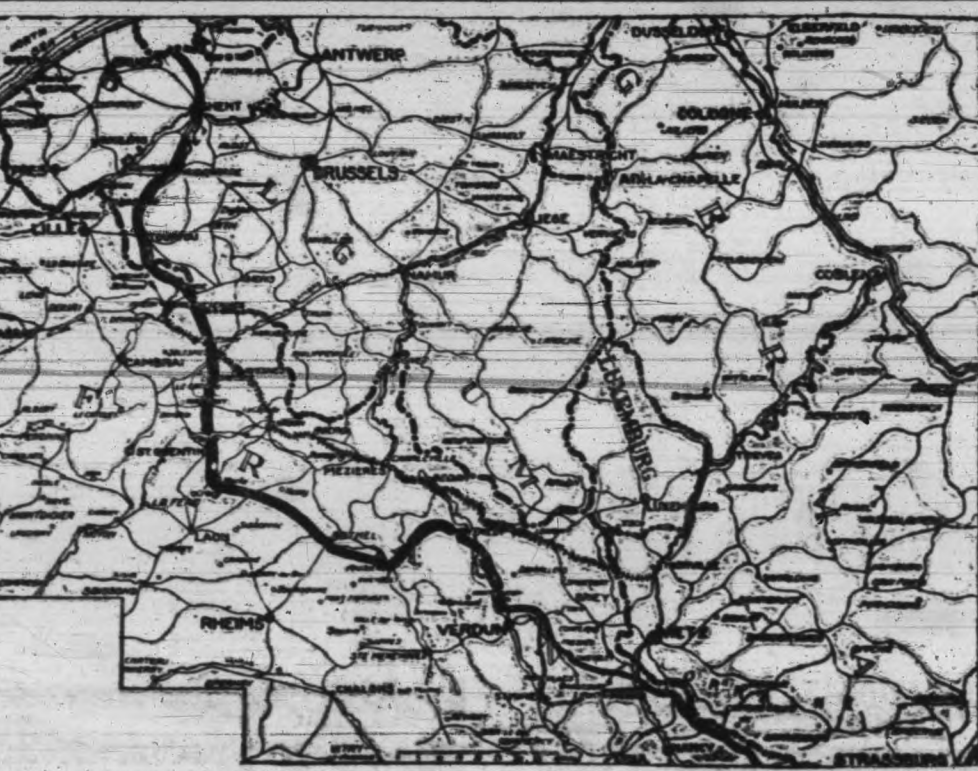
Paris, Nov. 6.—As a result of the
latest battle, which is still in progress,
the Allied forces have soundly beaten
140 German divisions, hundreds of vil-
lages have been freed and thousands
of prisoners have been captured. The
enemy's position, which was bad be-
fore, now may be said to be desperate.
The problem confronting the German
General Staff may be summed up
briefly as follows: The Germans have
nine armies strung out in a semi-
circular line from Ghent to Moulon, on
the Meuse, a distance of 160 miles. All
that immense fighting force must flow
back to Germany through Belgium, the
gap between Liege and Moulon measur-
ing only seventy miles.
The southern half and centre of this
gap is most difficult country. It is
wooded, hilly and poorly supplied with
roads. If the Namur-Liege region is
occupied by the Allies before the Ger-
mans south of the Sambre are able to
get away and cross the Meuse, they
will be virtually surrounded.
Ghent and Le Quesnoy are nearer
Namur and Liege than Marle and
Chateau Porcien. The British armies
are less than fifty miles from Namur.
The Germans on the Sambre are seventy,
and those on the Aisne are seventy-five.
The country north of the Sambre is
ideal for manoeuvring.

WAR HAS COST THIS COUNTRY A BILLION

Figure Has Passed That Mark; Ottawa Dispatch Gives Details

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—The war has cost
Canada well over \$1,000,000,000 up to
date. This comprises the accounts
which have actually passed through
the Finance Department. It does not
include recent overseas expenditures,
for which accounts have not yet been
presented.
The war expenditures by the Dom-
inion since August, 1914, have been,
for the different financial years, approxi-
mately as follows:
1914-15, \$90,750,000; 1915-16, \$165,
197,000; 1916-17, \$306,483,000; 1917-18,
\$343,825,000.
Seven months to October 31, 1918,
\$169,174,000. Total, \$1,046,444,000.
The expenditure for war purposes
last month was \$66,510,000, as com-
pared with \$44,481,000 in October, 1917.
It is explained, however, that the
figures for last month include some
overseas accounts which had been de-
layed in the mail.
The revenue on consolidated fund ac-
count continues to increase. Last
month it was \$23,431,234, against \$18,
241,155 for October last year. During
the seven months ended October 31,
1918, the revenue was \$164,414,136. This
compares with \$145,719,060, the revenue
for the equivalent period last year. Ex-
penditure on consolidated fund ac-
count was, in October, 1918, \$19,635,497;
in October, 1917, \$16,459,966.
The total net debt of the Dominion
on October 31 last was \$1,287,032,509,
an increase during the month of \$63,
897,616.

FOCH'S ARMIES HURLING GERMAN FORCES OUT OF FRANCE



The above map indicates the approximate present location of the battleline as based on the latest dispatches.

SUBSCRIPTIONS SLACKEN OFF IN VICTORY LOAN CANVASS; NANOOSE WINS HONOR FLAG

A drop in the Victory Loan investment of "Greater Victoria" was
experienced yesterday, according to official figures issued at noon.
Though the banks' returns were not complete at that time, it is ap-
parent that the city has fallen below the daily average necessary to secure
its quota, for only \$175,900 was taken in. The number of applicants
also has fallen from 800 to 560.

The total now invested, exclusive of the subscriptions of the Pro-
vincial Government and the municipalities, amounts to slightly over
two million dollars. Including the investment of the Government and
the Municipalities the total is now well over the \$3,000,000 mark. A
comparison with the amount invested on the corresponding day last
year shows that yesterday "Greater Victoria" kept up her increase
in speed over the 1917 drive.

Following are the figures for the two years:	
1918	1917
Eighth Day, Tuesday, Nov. 5: Canvassers, \$105,350 Banks (incom- plete) . . . 70,550	Eighth Day, Tuesday, Nov. 20: Canvassers, \$57,100 Banks . . . 49,500
\$175,900	\$106,600
Grand Total, to date, \$2,018,600	Grand Total, to date, \$1,573,120
Number of Applications, Tues- day 560	Number of Applications, Tues- day 4,022
Total Applications . . . 4,703	Total Applications . . . 4,022

Island Keep Up Pace.
Though the city and the suburbs
slackened in the Victory race, the up-
land points smashed ahead. It was
reported at noon that Nanosee had
passed its \$15,000 quota, and from the
Gulf Islands also came news of a gen-
erous response to the loan.
Nanosee is the fifth up-island point
to achieve its objective, Cumberland,
Camdy, Cobble Hill and Shawigan
Lake being the other places to sweep
past their quotas. Five honor flags
have thus been won, and a number of
(Concluded on page 4.)

New Government of the Jugo-Slavs Takes Its Oath of Office

Paris, Nov. 6.—The new Government
of the Jugo-Slavs took the oath of
office yesterday in the cathedral at
Agram, according to Vienna advices.
The President of the new Government
is Joseph Paganich, former Vice-
President of the Austrian lower House.
The Slovenian National Assembly
has taken charge of the Government
at Ljubljana, Carniola.

ARMY AUTHORITIES BLAMED FOR DEATH

Jury at Iona, Ontario, Brings in Verdict Following Death of G. R. Stride

St. Thomas, Ont., Nov. 6.—Garland
Ross Stride came to his death from
pulmonary tuberculosis brought on by
the usage received by him at the hands
of the military authorities while in
their care between October 2 and Oc-
tober 5, 1918.

This was the finding the jury brought
in yesterday at the inquest at Iona
on the body of Stride, who died while
at his father's home in Dunwich on
October 12, following his arrest as a
deserter. He had been taken by the
military police to St. Thomas and
later to London. The inquest was be-
gun some weeks ago and completed
yesterday. The case had aroused
widespread interest and the town hall
was crowded.

In summing up the evidence the
Crown attorney said: "The Military
Service Act was never meant to be
used as an instrument of torture, as
is in this case, and furthermore,
the ends of justice would have been
met just as well if the men of the
military placed to enforce the Act
had used precaution and had exer-
cised common sense."

The returns by provinces up to
the hour mentioned were as follows:
British Columbia . . . \$11,350,800
Alberta 6,561,350
Saskatchewan 5,314,150
Manitoba 14,416,300
Montreal 38,507,950
Toronto 39,892,000
Prince Edward Island . . . 567,200
Ontario (outside Toronto) . 68,927,150
Quebec (outside Montreal) . 8,552,400
New Brunswick 4,000,000
Nova Scotia 12,122,500
Grand total \$210,593,600
Dominion total last year
same period \$132,726,100

Rome, Nov. 6.—The conditions of the
armistice between the Entente nations
and Austria are being carried out
without delay. Italian troops have be-
gun to occupy the territory which will
be a guarantee to the agreement.
A Jugo-Slav commission arrived at
Venice to-day, accompanied by Admi-
ral Marzolo, of the Italian navy. It
proceeded straight to Padua, where
it was received by General Diaz, Com-
mander-in-Chief of the Italian armies.
The Ministry of Marine announced
that the Italian naval units had occupied
the ports of Anivari and Dulcigno,
Montenegro, on Monday.

Group Reported to Be Composed of Gen. Gruenell, Who Attended Hague Peace Conferences, and Gen. Winterfeldt and Admirals Meurer and Hintze

Berlin, Nov. 6.—Via London—An official statement
issued here to-day says: "A German delegation to con-
clude an armistice and take up peace negotiations has left
for the Western Front."

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—The German armistice dele-
gation left Berlin this afternoon for the Western Front.

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 6.—General E. G. W. von
Gruenell, Germany's military delegate to The Hague Peace Con-
ferences; General H. K. von Winterfeldt, former German Military At-
tache at Paris; Vice-Admiral Meurer and Admiral Paul von Hintze,
former Secretary of Foreign Affairs, have been appointed members of
a committee to deal with the Allied Powers on armistice negotiations.

Basel, Nov. 3.—An official statement
from Berlin announcing that the Allies'
armistice terms for Germany had not
arrived at the German capital up to-
day, adds: "Whatever it may be,
the message is awaited in Germany
with a calmness in conformity with
our dignity. Truly there exists the
right to ask how the delaying tactics
of our adversaries can be reconciled
with the speeches of the Entente lead-
ers, who recently reiterated that it
would be a crime to prolong the blood-
shed any longer than was absolutely
indispensable."

Berlin is Said to Have Decided to Accept Terms

Montreal, Nov. 6.—The Montreal
Star this evening publishes the fol-
lowing:
"London, Nov. 6.—Semi-official
reports declare that the German
Government has decided to accept
Foch's terms."

German Socialists Want Kaiser to Be Told to Abdicate

Berne, Nov. 6.—A manifesto issued
by the German Socialist party says
that Philip Scheidemann, the party
leader, with the consent of the party,
has asked the Imperial Chancellor to
submit directly to Kaiser Wilhelm ad-
vice or a request that he abdicate.
The Socialist manifesto was issued
simultaneously with the Government's
appeal to the German people and asked
the workers not to leave their work
and to abstain from manifestations.

New Government of Hungary Wants Peace With Allied Nations

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—Michael Kar-
olyi and several members of the Na-
tional Council and the Workmen's and
Soldiers' Councils will leave Budapest
shortly for Padua for the purpose of
opening peace negotiations with Gen-
eral Diaz, the Italian Commander-in-
Chief.
This announcement is made in a
Budapest dispatch received here.

Allied Troops in Suburbs of Ghent; Germans in City

London, Nov. 6.—(British Wireless
Service.)—The latest information re-
garding the military situation at
Ghent shows that Allied troops have
reached the suburbs, but that the
town itself is still held by the enemy.
It is possible that like Lens, Ghent will
hold out for some time, until a suc-
cessful encircling movement has been
accomplished.

London, Nov. 6.—Ghent is closely
invested by French, Belgian and
British troops. The fighting there ap-
parently is between German re-
argues and the Allied forces, for citi-
zens are said to be close behind the
lines, and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium
watched the beginning of the assault
against the city.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The United
States Government to-day promised
to exert its influence in behalf of Rou-
mania in her efforts to secure just
political and territorial rights at the
final peace conference.

F. J. STACPOOLE, K. C., TO IMPORTANT POST

Will Be Appointed Registrar-
General of Titles Succeed-
ing Mr. Gwynn

Members of the legal fraternity and
the public in general will welcome the
announcement made in Government
circles this morning that Frank James
Stacpool, K. C., will be appointed to
the position of Registrar-General of
Titles for the Province of British Co-
lumbia in succession to J. C. Gwynn,
whose resignation was handed to and
accepted by the Hon. J. W. de la Farris,
Attorney-General, yesterday afternoon.
The occasion of Mr. Gwynn's rela-
quishment of office was his appoint-
ment by Mr. Justice Murphy to the
position of Liquidator of the Dominion
Trust Company in the room of Andrew
Stewart, who was released from his
duties recently.

The Government's appointee to the
important position in question was
born at Heavitree, Devonshire, Eng-
land, in 1860 and in his early youth
he was sent to Harrow School to re-
ceive his education. At the age of
eighteen he set out to commence his
commercial training and the wish to
become a practical tea taster was the
career of his choice.
For four years he studied the art
and cultivated the sensitive palate
which forms the lucrative stock in
trade of the successful taster. At
twenty-two, however, the call of the
west penetrated into the tea ware-
houses of Moffatt & Co. in Min-
ning Lane, London, when Stacpool took
boat to Canada and made Holland in
Manitoba, his first halting place.
Went to Yukon.
At this point from 1882 to 1894 Mr.
Stacpool operated the land he had
homesteaded on arrival and became a
(Concluded on page 1.)

Berlin Says All Belgian Civilian Prisoners Released

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—In accordance
with its amnesty proclamation, the
German Government has released all
Belgian civilian prisoners held in Ger-
many, according to a telegram re-
ceived here from Berlin. The special
rules under which Belgian prisoners
have been held are said to have been
abolished.

Berlin States All Bolshevik Agents Must Leave Germany

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—The German
Government has demanded the with-
drawal of all Russian representatives
in Germany, a Berlin dispatch to-day
announces. The German representa-
tives in Russia, it is added, have been
recalled.

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ENEMY SAVED ONLY SMALL PART OF ARMY IN THE TRENTINO

Rome, Nov. 5.—An official statement issued here yesterday said: "The suspension of hostilities against Austria-Hungary has temporarily arrested our advance."

"The enemy saved only a small part of his armies in the Trentino. Prior to 3 o'clock Monday afternoon our columns passed every obstacle and established themselves behind the enemy in the Adige Valley, closing the roads opening to it."

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CABINET UPHELD ON IRISH QUESTION FORWARD DRIVE OF ALLIES CONTINUED

British Commons Rejects Motion for immediate Settlement on Wilson's Principles

London, Nov. 5.—After a discussion lasting all day the House of Commons yesterday rejected by a vote of 196 to 115 a motion made by John Dillon, chairman of the Irish Nationalist Party, that the Irish question should be settled without delay on President Wilson's principle of self-determination.

As first proposed the motion asked that Great Britain should not enter a peace conference until the Irish question was settled. This met with vigorous opposition from Rt. Hon. Edward Shortt, Chief Secretary for Ireland, and Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who argued that war had raised questions far transcending Home Rule. Mr. Dillon then consented to amend his motion.

BRITISH COOKS GOT KEYS OF JERUSALEM

London, Nov. 5.—(Reuters).—General Allen Burgoyne, lecturing before the Royal Photographic Society, told a good story of the surrender of Jerusalem. He said that the city was actually surrendered to a couple of British regimental cooks, who were out trying to get some salad when some Arabs came out with the keys of the city. One Tommy asked what they were expected to do with the keys of the "blinkin' city."

General Burgoyne said that the scene was accounted so historic that it was reconstructed and photographed.

VIOLENT RIOTING OCCURRED AT KIEL

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—Severe rioting occurred at Kiel Saturday after a meeting of sailors and laborers which was addressed by an independent Socialist speaker. Military guards fired upon the mutineers, killing twenty-nine. The military commander was shot dead.

BERLIN GOVERNMENT ISSUES MANIFESTO

Asks Germans to Bear Hardships and Makes Promises of Reformation

Basel, Nov. 5.—The Berlin Government has issued a manifesto signed by the Imperial Chancellor, Prince Maximilian, the Vice-Chancellor, Friedrich von Payer, and the Secretaries of State, appealing to the people to bear their hardships and assuring them that resolute work is being done for the transformation of Germany into a popular governed state which will be behind no state in the world in liberty and social progress.

"The Government and its confederates of the army and navy desire an early peace," continues the manifesto. "Until that is attained we must protect our frontiers from invasion."

"Men and women of Germany, the state and empire are our common future. Your confidence, which is indispensable to us in the hour of danger, is really but the confidence of the German people in itself, in its future—a future of safety for Germany. That aim we have before our eyes."

"The new Government is engaged in this work. Important work already has been done. Equal suffrage in Prussia already is assured. The new Government has been formed by representatives of the majority parties in the Reichstag."

"The Imperial Chancellor and his colleagues require for continuous in office the confidence of the Reichstag and of the nation. The fundamental rights have been transferred from the person of the Kaiser to the representatives of the nation. Declaration of war and conclusion of peace require the sanction of the Reichstag."

Confidence Asked. Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—In appealing to the German people for support, the Berlin Government declared that it must have the confidence of the people and the Reichstag in carrying out reforms. The manifesto issued by the Government says that Germany is being changed to a democratic state, but if the transformation is to be a success there must be self-discipline among the people. The text of the manifesto follows.

"The burden of the present time is weighing heavily on the world and the German nation. We must overcome these hard days and their consequences."

Section Missing. "The military administration has been placed under the responsibility of the Imperial Chancellor, a far-reaching amnesty has been granted and freedom of the press and right of assembly have been guaranteed. There still remains, however, much to do."

"The transformation of Germany into a people's state second to no other country in respect of political freedom and care of the welfare of the masses will be continued resolutely. The reorganization can only exercise its beneficial effect if it encounters among administrative and military authorities."

American Advance. With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 5.—11 p. m.—Via London, Nov. 5.—American forces have captured Ligny-devant-Dun and Milly-devant-Dun, east of the Meuse River. They also are approaching the hills on the east bank of the river despite a stiff machine gun resistance by the Germans.

West of the Meuse American troops have occupied Letanne, Stonne, La Besace and Yoncq, and are pushing their line well beyond Raucourt Forest, north of Stonne.

In Beaumont 500 French civilians were freed after four years of German occupation of their town.

In their advance to-day the Americans reached points within five miles of one of Germany's main lines of communication between Metz, Mezieres, Hirson and Guise.

Taking of Le Quesnoy. British Headquarters in France and Belgium, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—(Reuters).—A great feat of the battle yesterday was the taking of Le Quesnoy by the New Zealanders. This town had immensely strong ramparts, with deep moats. The New Zealanders surrounded the fortifications, while the almen joined in the attack, flying over the town and attacking the garrison with their machine guns.

Under cover of a smoke screen, the New Zealanders crept up to the gateways which the Germans were keeping open as a line of retreat. Then followed confusion and fighting, and the entrance was secured. More than 1,000 prisoners were taken.

Planes Bagged. With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—During the last four days American airmen have destroyed or downed more than 16 German aeroplanes and in addition a large number of enemy balloons. Since September 12, when the St. Mihiel salient operations began, the Americans claim to have downed 431 German machines. Of this number it has been confirmed that 275 were destroyed.

German Statement. Berlin, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—An official statement issued here this (Tuesday) evening says: "On yesterday's battlefield between the Scheldt and the Oise we have withdrawn from the enemy's movement took place according to plan."

"There were only isolated engagements in this sector to-day."

NEW WORKING CLASS
CABINET IN POLAND

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—All the members of the Polish Cabinet have signed a manifesto, according to a dispatch from Warsaw, declaring that a national Government is formed, its majority consisting of representatives of the working classes. The National Government will take over undivided authority until the convocation of a legislative body.

J. M'ALLISTER, EX-M. P.
FOR RESTIGOUCHE, DEAD

Campbellton, N. B., Nov. 5.—John M'Allister, ex-M.P. for Restigouche, died here suddenly. He represented Restigouche for two terms from 1891 to 1900.

GERMAN-AUSTRIAN PROTEST.

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.—Via London, Nov. 5.—Austrian will protest against the interpretation of any clause in the armistice as meaning that enemy armies are entitled to attack Germany through Austria, according to advices from Vienna.

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Ottawa, Nov. 5.—The Minister of Finance is considering the design for a new one-cent copper coin. The present one-cent piece, while of excellent design, is of so large a size as to make it inconvenient to carry more than two or three in the pocket. The new coin will be slightly larger and slightly thicker than a ten-cent piece, so as to be easily distinguishable to the touch. It will take some time to have the die made and the coins issued for circulation.

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CHRISTIE'S SODA BISCUITS, large carton...	35c	NICE RICH FLAVORY TEA— 3 lbs. for \$1.30, or per lb.	45c
FANCY RE-CLEANED CURRANTS. Per lb.	32c	ANTI-COMBINE COFFEE. Fresh ground as ordered. Per lb. 45¢ and	40c
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WASTE OF SUGAR

THE following bulletin was among the most forceful and effective bits of conservation propaganda at the New York Food Show last month. It was put out by the National Sugar Refining Company of New Jersey:

"Save the waste! One hundred million cups of coffee used daily in United States."

"Seventy million cups of tea used daily in United States."

"One hundred and seventy million cups of coffee and tea."

"If even an average of half a teaspoonful of sugar per cup is left undissolved at the bottom of cups of tea and coffee the waste would be 1,700,000 pounds of sugar daily."

"Stir your sugar until it dissolves. It's estimated that one-third to one-half of all sugars used in homes is used in tea and coffee. Think it over—how is it in your home? Isn't there a chance for saving?"

From New York Times Sunday, September 29, 1918.

Take the sugar subject for instance:

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ON HISTORIC GROUND.

A little more than four years ago the "Old Contemptibles," two corps strong, retired west of Mons and Maubeuge in the face of the overwhelming odds commanded by von Kluck. They were opposed by five corps, three on their front and two trying a wide flanking movement through Lille and Valenciennes. Berlin officially announced the annihilation of two British divisions and the sure doom of the rest, and all Germany shrieked for joy. "Half kill the French, but kill the English," one of the German orders read. But the "Old Contemptibles" were neither annihilated, disorganized nor demoralized. They did not allow themselves and, through them, the whole Allied front to be enveloped. They gave ground but fought back all the way and finally played an important part in the decisive victory of the Marne, incidentally helping to wreck von Kluck's military career.

Now the mighty offspring of the "contemptible little army of General French" is marching back to Mons, Maubeuge and Charleroi over that very same ground. The places recaptured daily have a familiar sound, as they ought to have, since they are landmarks of soil that will be immortal in this Empire's history. It was between Le Cateau and Soissons on August 26, 1914, that Smith-Dorrien's Second Corps withstood the entire weight of von Kluck's legions. It was the Mormal Forest, now almost entirely in British possession, which separated Sir Douglas Haig's forces from Smith-Dorrien's Second Corps at that time. It was at Landreies on August 25, 1914, that the 21st Guards Brigade of Haig's Corps fought back the advance troops of von Kluck's Ninth Corps, which tried to enter the place disguised in French uniforms.

It was at Le Quesnoy, recaptured yesterday, that trains were waiting in 1914 to carry those British troops who were too exhausted to march any farther. It was at Conde, which British troops are now approaching, that the British left flank rested in August 1914, and it was there that General Allenby's cavalry prevented von Kluck's Second Corps crossing the Schelde. Truly, the offspring of the little British army of 1914—British, Canadians, Australians and New Zealanders—is coming into its own again over ground every inch of which is an inspiration to further victories.

The army commanded by Sir Douglas Haig has been fighting continuously since last August 8. From Albert to Bapaume and from Bapaume to Moeuvres its relentless progress has not stopped for more than a breathing spell here and there. It came to the Hindenburg Line and smashed it. It battered its way through the Oppy Line. It broke the great Drocourt-Queant support system, and when it did that it sent a chill right down the spine of the Great General Staff. Cambrai, Douai, Lens, Lille, Valenciennes are now behind it and within a few days it will be before Mons and Maubeuge.

It is now a long time since German military experts declared their pleasure that British troops were in France and Belgium because it would enable Germany and Britain to come to grips in "Germany's native element." It is a long time since Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria issued his bestial order of "no quarter to the British, who shall be driven into the sea." Von Moltke, von Kluck, von Falkenhayn, von Stein, von Ludendorff and Rupprecht of Bavaria have gone, but Haig is still on the job, helping mightily to teach the Great General Staff the measure of Germany's inferiority in the field in which she thought she was easily supreme—and helping to teach that lesson, too, with armies composed of men very few of whom before this war had ever handled a gun.

THE CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS.

Although the result of the Congressional elections in the United States yesterday has not been definitely determined up to this morning, the prospect is that there will be a Republican majority in both Houses. The Washington Administration forces, therefore, will be at a disadvantage in the two main law-making institutions of the republic. This was what the President sought to avoid in his recent appeal for a Democratic victory. At the time his intervention appeared to be bad political tactics, and the Republican chieftains Roosevelt, Taft and Lodge made the most of it. They resented the implication that the effectiveness of the American war effort depended upon the election of a Democratic Congress as a reflection upon the loyalty and patriotic zeal of the Republicans, and pointed out that whatever criticism was directed at the Administration by the Republicans, in connection with the war was on the ground that the effort of the country was not being pressed energetically enough to suit them. This was, in

fact, one of the chief points of Republican attack in the campaign.

The President's fourteen peace points and recent notes to Germany also came under fire. One Republican Senator introduced a resolution prohibiting any member of the Washington Government conducting any negotiations with the enemy except in conjunction with Congress. Hence, if the result of the election has any war significance, it is that the nation wants the war prosecuted still more vigorously, if possible, and desires that nothing but Germany's unconditional surrender without any qualifications be insisted upon.

It is difficult to see, however, how the Republicans could have gone any farther than the Administration has gone in this respect. The President's note to Austria was a great factor in the demoralization of the Dual Monarchy, while the Versailles Council has adopted his recommendation in respect of Turkey, Austria and Germany by defining such armistice terms as will make it impossible for them to continue hostilities. The difference between the two is merely one of method, not of principle.

The Republicans also used, and apparently with effect, the one-man Government alarm, conveniently forgetting President Roosevelt with his Big Stick. There were, also, the various local issues. Finally, it is very hard for a war Administration to win a general election unless the country is directly externally menaced. The effect of restrictions imposed upon the public by the necessity of vast war measures and the far-reaching powers taken by the executive is hard to overcome. This is particularly the case where the Government is formed from the ranks of one party, as at Washington, for, after all, such a Government cannot possibly be as efficient as one organized from the best men of all parties. At the same time, it should be remembered that in the actual direction of the United States's war effort the ablest men of the nation, whether Republican, Democrat, Labor or Socialist, are holding important posts at Washington.

SEEING FOCH.

Having been referred by the Allies to Marshal Foch, Germany is sending a delegation to the West Front to apply for an armistice. The delegation consists of General von Gruenell, the German delegate to The Hague Conference, General von Winterfeldt, Admiral Meurer and Admiral von Hintze. Von Gruenell may be remembered as the delegate at The Hague who opposed every resolution for the reduction of armaments. He was sent there as a camouflage, for Germany had no intention of adhering to The Hague agreement and has ruthlessly broken every provision of it.

Admiral von Hintze is Germany's champion intriguer, now that von Kuehlmann, whom he succeeded as Foreign Secretary, is in obscurity. Von Hintze's activities in China, Turkey and elsewhere are notorious. He is nothing but a cheap trickster and his inclusion among the armistice delegates is undoubtedly due to the German hope that in some way he may be able to cause trouble among the Allies.

If the German armistice delegates expect to have an opportunity of playing any tricks they are destined to receive the jar of their lives. Foch will simply tell them the terms agreed upon by the Allies and they will have to accept them, at once or get out. There will be no argument or discussion. Meanwhile, the German armies are precipitately retreating so that if their delegates object to the terms they can make a bold show of prolonging the struggle on some other line. But it may be found that they have lingered too long while awaiting an armistice, just as the Austrian armies lingered too long in Venetia.

SWITZERLAND'S OPPORTUNITY.

Ex-King Constantine is in Switzerland. Karl of Austria appears to be contemplating making his residence there. Undoubtedly all the German rulers, princes, grand dukes, war promoters, generals and what not of the same variety that escape the wrath of the German people in the inevitable upheaval also will seek a haven there. The Allies may require the surrender of many of these as common malefactors, not as "political fugitives," for trial and punishment for their monstrous crimes. But there will be enough of them left for the enterprising Swiss authorities to capitalize as a menagerie for tourists.

Switzerland should commence to fix habitation limits for these new residents. It should not permit them to build homes where nobody can see them. That would be bad business. She should arrange things so that the individual who uses the megaphone on the "Seeing Zurich" car will be able to say: "On your right, ladies and gentlemen, is the home of 'Tino, late of Athens. The gentleman in the front yard pushing the lawn-mower is 'Tino; the lady with the garden shears is Mrs. 'Tino. On your left is the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hapsburg. That is Mr. Hapsburg shingling the roof, and if you crane your necks you will see Mrs. Hapsburg pursuing the chickens. The big house next door is unoccupied. It was rented to William Hohenzollern, but for certain interesting reasons he has been unable to reach here. The rocking-horse in the lawn is intended for young Willie Hohenzollern. The garage, however, is occupied by Ferdinand Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, late of Sofia, Bulgaria, who is to be employed as chauffeur."

The possibilities for Switzerland in this direction are immense, and the little Alpine republic which has suffered much from German and Austrian brutality surely could not be blamed if she obtained her compensation by that means.

CITY'S CASE STILL BEFORE THE COURT

Change of Defendant May Be Made in Trial of Victoria City Vs. Bailey

The trial of the City of Victoria vs. Bailey, which was held in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Murphy and an adjournment was taken until 2.30 this afternoon.

It was disclosed during the afternoon by P. A. McDiarmid, who with J. R. Green is appearing for Bailey, that the Cameron Investment Company were the real defendants, having purchased Bailey's interest in the property, the expropriation of part of which is the cause of the present action. As the company had registered its conveyance the question arose as to whether or not they should be added, or substituted as defendants.

City Solicitor R. W. Hannington, for the city, strongly objected on the ground that inasmuch as the company did not appear in the Land Registry records, the company has no legal title and cannot properly be made parties to the action. Mr. Justice Murphy indicated that there would be no objection to an order adding the company, provided it was distinctly understood that they merely stepped into the shoes of the defendant Bailey, so far as the proceedings and the evidence are concerned. He stated that he would not add them on any terms which would prejudice the city and certainly only on terms satisfactory to Mr. Hannington.

In view of these conditions, Mr. Justice suggested that Mr. McDiarmid take time to consider whether or not he would make the application, and with this suggestion Mr. McDiarmid fell in.

Evidence was given yesterday by a number of city officials in connection with the by-laws affecting the matter. It is estimated that the legal argument will be extremely lengthy.

THINKS GERMAN RULE GOOD FOR CANADIANS

Victory Loan Canvassers Find Man With Rather Queer Ideas

Canvassing for the Victory Loan yesterday, Kenneth Ferguson and C. Bishop discovered an old man, who thought an invasion of this country by Germany would be advantageous to Canadians. He had never bought Victory Bonds, he did not intend to, and he did not care how the war ended.

The two canvassers entered the grounds of the man's residence. They were greeted by the owner who refused point-blank to have anything to do with the loan. "I never bought any bonds," he said, "and I don't intend to."

In reply to the arguments of the canvassers, the old man stated his conviction that the Government was "rotten." The canvassers pointed out that they were not there to talk politics, but Victory Bonds. He did not believe in sending Canadian troops to fight overseas. To this Mr. Ferguson pointed out that if the Canadians were not in France there might be a German Government here.

"I don't know but we would be better off if there were a German Government here," said the old man turning away.

The canvassers were quite taken aback. When they further questioned him regarding his nationality, he told them he was English. "You don't seem to be very English in your ideas," remarked one of the canvassers, and he added that his sentiments savoured strangely of Prussianism. The canvasser told the man that they intended to report him to the military authorities. The latter began then to stammer something about how he did not say anything which was wrong, but he gradually lapsed back into the same vein. The Victory Loan officials are leaving the matter in the hands of the military authorities.

ALLIES ADVANCING AND POUNDING SHATTERED GERMAN ARMIES WHILE THEY RAPIDLY WITHDRAW

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front on the whole front. Early this morning our forces again resumed the advance.

Barby Taken. East of the Sambre Canal we have occupied Barby. North of Marie we have passed beyond Marfontaine and Valenciennes. Italian troops fighting with the French have taken Le Thuel and reached the Hurtault brook southeast of Montcornet.

West of Rethel French troops have occupied Barby, on the north bank of the Aisne. French detachments have crossed the Aisne at several places. More to the right we have reached the outskirts of Lametz and pushed on as far as the outskirts of La Lacassine, northeast of Le Chesne.

Formidable Line Smashed. With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 4, 12 m. Am. other formidable enemy defence line, on which the Germans had planned to make a stand, was smashed by American troops late Tuesday when they captured the town of Le Tanne, in the bend of the Meuse south of Mouson. From Le Tanne the line extends along the Meuse through Pouilly and Inor and eastward.

This line was part of the new defences along the Meuse from Stenay northward to Sedan. An elaborate trench system recently had been completed, along with numerous wire entanglements, concrete dugouts and miles of concrete emplacements for heavy machine guns.

Beaumont Shelled. With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 4, 12 m. The village of Beaumont, where there are more than 400 French civilians, is the particular target of the Germans. All night long they deluged Beaumont with poison gas.

German Statement. Berlin, Nov. 6.—Via London.—American troops yesterday advanced across the river Meuse south of Dun under a

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violent protective fire and penetrated the woods and heights on the east bank of the river between Milly and Villeneuve, the German General Staff announced to-day.

The Germans, the statement adds, have been withdrawn on the fronts between the Scheidt and the Oise and between the Oise and the Meuse.

F. J. STACPOOLE, K. C., TO IMPORTANT POST

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successful farmer. Again he felt that he had not chosen aright and the latter part of 1895 found him articled in the law to O. H. Clark, of Winnipeg. After a successful course of study he qualified for the legal profession in 1900 and journeyed to the Yukon in the same year.

In the northern clime Mr. Stacpoole was called to the bar and practised in Dawson until 1916 with his former tutor, the style of the firm being Clark, Wilson & Stacpoole. While in the Gold City the firm had large commissions and among other large interests whose business it conducted, to Mr. Stacpoole fell the appointment of Solicitor to the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Dawson, the North American Transportation and Trading Company, and to the Sheriff of the Yukon. Came Here in 1910.

In 1910 Mr. Stacpoole came to Victoria, qualified to practice in British Columbia, and in 1911 was called to the bar here and created a K. C. on May 1, of the same year. The new Registrar-General of Titles has practised with Mr. Bradshaw since the latter part of 1911, and he now severs his connection to take Provincial service.

Mr. Stacpoole has a son on active service in France, Private Frank Stacpoole, who enlisted as a volunteer in Arizona, whither he had gone in seek of health, and came north to join the Canadian forces. He is now attached to the 7th Battalion at the front.

SUBSCRIPTIONS SLACKEN OFF IN VICTORY LOAN CANVASS; NANOOSE WINS HONOR FLAG

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crowns have already been requested by some of the towns which have gone furthest on the road to victory.

Gulf Islands Respond. After working among the Gulf Islands John Mowat and his team-mates report that they have been accorded a generous response. Moresby Island has invested \$1,150, Saturna \$4,300, Pender \$2,750 and Salt Spring \$11,500. The canvassers telephoned from Mayne Island, from which they intend to proceed to Galiano Island.

Today the local canvassers are "cleaning up" the city and straightening out some applications which have got confused in the rush. After this short breathing space they will start the second lap of the drive with renewed enthusiasm.

North of City. After having made a fairly thorough canvass of the district north of the city and of Gordon Head yesterday, the teams will go further afield to-morrow and work their way probably as far as Sidney.

While some of the salesmen were concentrating upon the residential sections of the city and the local industrial plants, a large corps under Kenneth Ferguson, in charge of all sales, invaded the district about Royal Oak and inwards, and also Gordon Head. After a whole day's work without a let-up, canvassers returned with about \$115,000. It was most difficult to visit every isolated farm-house, and it meant many weary hours of trudging through fields for many of the canvassers.

Aged Woman's Home.—The Aged and Infirm Women's Home wish to thank the following for donations received during the month: Lady Barnard, Mrs. Shetholt, Hilben-Bone & Co., Mrs. Cookson, Mrs. Sampson, C. Peters, Mr. Goodacre, Mr. Fernie, Miss Mary Spencer, Mrs. (Dr.) Griffith, Mrs. Pearson. The monthly report stated that on account of the influenza the Home had been quarantined during the month, and by that means the inmates have escaped and the institution is free from the scourge. One old lady of eighty-six years of age, who was very ill when she came to the Home a couple of months ago, has since died, but the rest were enjoying their usual health. Five had entered during the month and two more would enter in a few days. They would leave only three vacant rooms in the Home.

LETTERS

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short, and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

THE GALIANO.

To the Editor.—Engulfed! Swamped! Deluged!—They all mean the

Dainty New Furniture For Children

We are now showing the most complete and attractive line of Novelty Furniture for children we have ever offered.

We suggest that you make your selections for Christmas giving right now when the assortment is complete. Anything you choose we will gladly hold for delivery when you wish.

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New Dinner Sets

The China Shop is showing some uncommonly attractive Dinner Sets—new arrivals that are the most attractive we have shown for some time.

We want you to visit this section and see these. Values are equally as attractive as the sets themselves.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, November 6, 1893.

The McHomene left yesterday at 2 p.m. for England to re-commission. Complaint is made that certain book stores are displaying certain sensational American papers not entitled to go through the mails. The attention of the city authorities has been called to the matter.

H. M. S. Champion left this afternoon on her southern cruise, which will last seven months. A party of Provincial Police started on Saturday for the scene of the Savary Island murder.

same thing, and our brave lads never had even a fighting chance for their lives. Now, Mr. Editor, we all know that you will throw no impediment in the way of the fierce public searchlight of inquiry which should and must be turned on this latest catastrophe of the sea.

Now, to say that the Galliano struck a reef may be camouflage or may be correct, but there can be no guesswork about the fact that a storm was raging and she foundered through being overwhelmed and engulfed by the big seas going over the top and flooding her hold; in other words she was not stout enough to live in such waters.

Then why risk the lives of our boys on such fragile mosquitoes, especially when the Admiralty Chart, clearly marks the waters off Triangle Island as very dangerous to small craft? We are told that human life is about the cheapest thing in the world instead of the most precious, and right now is the time to hew this log of inquiry into the loss of the Galliano flush to the line, no matter where the chips fly. Let the authorities understand, if they don't already know, that they are indirectly the servants of the people and that our boys going down to the sea in ships shall have sturdy

boats fully protected with adequate pumps and strong covers for skylights and holds.

SAFETY FIRST.

HEALTH IS WEALTH.

To the Editor.—Who wants Spanish influenza? No one. Who wants health? Everyone. Girls, listen, we can all be healthy if we like. How? By wearing sensible clothing. Low necked and thin waists are fine and very pretty, also silk stockings (for the summer), but in winter, warm underwear and sensible waists, woolen stockings and sound boots. Do not think you will look a fright by wearing such clothes; you will look well, and what is far more important, feel well, and keep well. This letter is not written with any thought of interference, but just out of kindness to my own sex. I want to see the girls of today realize how very important it is for them to be strong. Because we are generally known as the weaker sex, that does not mean that we are, or should be, delicate. We are the producers of nations, and should, therefore, be strong. So put away all those filmy fussy things until next summer, and don this warm clothes, while the cold and damp weather lasts.

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Important Sale of Women's and Misses' Coats

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Three big days of Coat selling planned for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Just received is a big assortment of Women's and Misses' good serviceable Winter Coats, purchased to advantage while our buyer was in the East recently. These garments go on sale this week-end at very special prices and will prove profitable investments to all who have yet their Winter Coats to buy.

Come and look the different offerings over and judge these values for yourself—that is, if you are desirous of securing the very best value possible for the price you intend paying.

Misses' Curl Cloth Coats, trimmed with velvet and finished with belt, pockets and fancy buttons. Sizes 10 to 14 years. Special Sale..... **\$13.90**

Women's Wool Coats, warm, serviceable grades, in various materials and shades. All sizes. Special Sale..... **\$22.75**

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This is a range of Coats we have mentioned before, but it is one in which the values are so good that we do not for one moment expect to get anything better to sell at the same price. Our buyer's opinion after his personal trip to the eastern markets is that he saw nothing to equal these Coats for quality and value at the price quoted. Let us suggest that you examine these values for yourself.

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—Trimnings, Main Floor

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Woolen Gaiters, in cream shade. A pair..... **75c**

Stockinette Gaiters, with pearl buttons. A pair..... **75c**

Pull-Over Gaiters of white stockinette. Elastic at waist; neatly finished with pearl buttons. A pair..... **\$1.75**

Pull-Over Drawers of all-wool, fancy hand knit. Special, a pair..... **\$1.75**

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Infants' Hand-Knit Wove Woolen Suits, Drawers and Sweaters to match. A suit at..... **\$4.75**

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Celluloid Toys

We have just opened up a new shipment of Celluloid Toys. Quite a big variety of things that will please the little ones. Prices range 15c to..... **\$1.00**

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—Infants', First Floor

Big Values in Ladies' Collars at 50c

A splendid lot of Collars, all made beautifully from dainty materials and in most attractive shapes. There's the new roll, sailor and "revere" shapes of fine organdie, satin and muslin—plain and trimmed with dainty laces.

Also an assortment of Colored Organdie Collars in various shapes. Special to-day at **50c** each.

—Neckwear, Main Floor

Special Purchase of 500 Lingerie and Silk Waists on Sale Thursday

The White Embroidered Waists are Marked

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The Silk and Novelty Waists are Marked

\$9.75

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The largest and most attractive lot of new Waists priced for sale thus far this season. We purchased the balance of a manufacturer's stock at a special price concession and we are going to give our customers the benefit of buying them to great advantage too. The styles are new and decidedly different to anything shown previously this season.

The Silk Waists are of Crepes de Chine, Silk Organdies, Novelties and Combination Silk Stripes. All the new dainty shades of flesh, peach, apricot, maize and white well represented. There are collarless styles, also round and square necks, long sleeves and very neat trimmings of hemstitching.

The White Embroidered Waists are in very pretty styles, neat and attractive. The embroidered work on front of each model is very neatly done. The designs are new and superior. Some models have small collars, others are collarless, and finished v-shape, round or square.

From such a wonderful assortment of styles and values you will find no difficulty in choosing a new Waist for Christmas, also Waists for Gift-giving. See our Display Windows for Samples.

—Waists, First Floor

Five Handsome Seamless Wilton Rugs in a Large Size to Clear at a Great Bargain Price \$34.90

Just five of these handsome Rugs in the one size left, so we clear them out Thursday at this extraordinary low price. It's a well-woven Rug, in a handsome Oriental design, finished with soft shades on a blue ground. Size 9 x 12 feet. Worth practically double the price. Thursday, each **\$34.90**

—Carpets, Second Floor

Still An Opportunity to Buy a Tungsten Electric Lamp for 35c and 39c

These Lamps are going fast, so if you want a few we advise you not to delay your purchase.

The Tungsten Lamp we are offering at this special sale is a reliable make and fully guaranteed.

You take no risk in buying this Lamp, for every one sold is backed by the maker's guarantee as well as ours. If you are still using the old style carbon lamp, remember—this Tungsten make will cut down your electric light account by about half. In fact, you really cannot afford to be without Tungsten Lamps these days, for you not only save in cost of current used but you get a better lighted home.

Lamps are on sale in our Hardware Department on Second Floor. See your Lamp tested at time of purchase. We do not deliver Tungsten Electric Lamps, therefore cannot accept phone or C.O.D. orders.

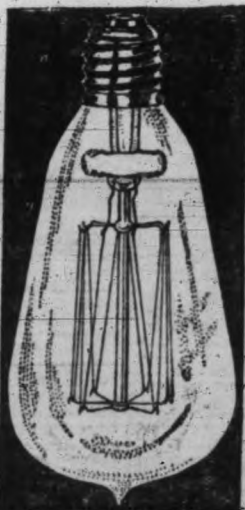
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—Boys' Shirts, Main Floor

Men's \$2.00 Work Shirts at \$1.50 Each

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—Men's Shirts, Main Floor

1000 Yards 36-Inch Scrim, Clearing at 29c

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—Drapery, Second Floor

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Sun Maid Cluster Raisins, per carton28¢
Clark's Potted Meats, per tin7¢
Pure Maple Sugar, bar 12¢

Pansy Seeded Raisins, per pkt., 15¢ and 17¢
New Mixed Peel, per 1-lb. box 48¢
New Currants, carton, 28¢
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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Turnip Cake
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(By Howard R. Garis.)

When Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunnymon, was hopping along through the woods near his hole, he heard some one talking about pie, bread and cake.
"He peeked through the bushes, and he saw Susie Littlelall, the rabbit girl; Jennie Chipmunk, and Lulu and Alice Wibbels, the ducks."
"What's all this talk about good things to eat?" asked the bunnymon.
"Oh, we had cooking lessons in school to-day," said one of the duck girls.
"And some day I'll come to your hole, low stump bungalow and make you a turnip cake," spoke Susie. "You like turnip cake, don't you, Uncle Wiggily?"
"To be sure I do," he said. "But I can hardly believe such little girls as you can bake."
"Oh, we'll show you!" laughed Jennie Chipmunk, showing all her pretty teeth.
Uncle Wiggily hopped on through the woods, and the animal girl school children ran and played in the dried leaves. And a little later that day, after he reached his hollow stump bungalow, Uncle Wiggily said to Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady housekeeper:
"Is it very hard to bake a turnip cake?"
"Oh, no, it's very easy," answered Nurse Jane. "Since you like one so much I'll bake it to-morrow."
"Couldn't I bake it myself?" asked the bunnymon.
"Oh, no! Of course not!" laughed Nurse Jane. "You don't know anything about cooking."
But the next day, when Nurse Jane went shopping down to the three and four cent store to buy a diamond dishpan and Uncle Wiggily was left home all alone he said:
"I'm going to try and bake myself a turnip cake. If Susie and Jennie and the duck girls can bake, so can I. It can't be so very hard."
He remembered seeing Nurse Jane mix up flour and water and sugar and salt and butter and other things when she made a cake, so Uncle Wiggily did all that.
"Now, to make a turnip cake I must have a turnip to put in it," he said. "I'll get one out of the cellar."
So he did, cutting the turnip up into

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

PROTESTANT ORPHANS
ESCAPE EPIDEMIC
November's Birthstone—Topaz.
Its meaning—Fidelity.

Clean Bill of Health for October; Youthful Poetess Writes Verse
"The Gift Centre"

The officers of the Protestant Orphanage Committee met on Monday at the home of the Vice-President Mrs. McCulloch, Linden Avenue. Correspondence was dealt with and bills amounting to \$435.50 passed. Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Hammond were appointed visitors for November.
The following report for October was received: "Sixty-five children in the home, well and happy in brief report for October. A boy one-and-a-half years old and a girl one and a half years have been admitted during the month, making thirty-three children under eight years of age, sixty-five in all. One thing which struck us pleasantly was the evident affection that the little tots showed for the Matron. On account of the epidemic no school has been held, visitors have been kept in their own grounds. Nearly a ton of potatoes harvested by the boys rewarded them for voluntarily giving up their playground in the interest of the greater food production movement. One girl Ilma Davis won the second prize for quelling the correct weight of Pender's block of soap at the 'Made in Victoria Fair.'"
The outstanding event of the month from the children's point of view was the masquerade party on Halloween when the matrons and children dressed themselves up and had a hilarious time until 9 o'clock in the big dining-room, which had been appropriately decorated for the occasion.
List of Donations.
The following donations are gratefully acknowledged: Sugar, 100 lbs., "Cloverdale"; potatoes, Miss Bralk, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. J. A. Adams; apples, pears, Mrs. W. R. Higgins; Mrs. Fernie, Mrs. Dever, Mrs. J. B. Todd, Saanich Fair, Mr. Maine, Mrs. Gonnason, Mr. Higgs, Capt. Davies, H. Bullen, F. Turgoose; vegetables and fruit, Mrs. McTavish, Victoria High School, Saanich School, Mrs. Cameron; clothing, Miss Bralk, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. Bostock, A. Friend; cake and candy, Mrs. McTavish, Saanich Fair, Mr. Acton; professional services, Dr. Bryant, Dr. Lewis Hall, The Times and Colonist.
Youthful Poetess.
Margaret Gibson, a twelve-year-old budding-poetess at the Orphanage, is the composer of the following verses:
"We are proud of the boys who are over there,
We are proud of those who have fallen;
They have done their best, and can do no more,
For the country whose aid they were called to."
"We are sorry for the boys who are over there,
Sorry for the parents who have missed them;
Some have fallen to rise no more,
Others will return, but we know not when."
"They are welcome, brave boys, to their homes,
To their homes where the fires burn bright;
Tis for the boys those fires are kept burning
Through the long and weary night."
"Some have come home to die,
To die on their own battle field;
They have come to spend their few last hours
With those they will love forever."

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SOCIAL PERSONAL
Dr. and Mrs. J. Stefansson, of Winnipeg, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.
Mrs. Despard Twigg, of Victoria, has gone over to the Mainland to visit Major and Mrs. Roger Monteth, of Vancouver.
Mrs. J. H. Habersham, of Edmonton, arrived in Victoria yesterday, from Vancouver to visit her mother, Mrs. Somerville. Later she will proceed to California to spend the winter.
Mrs. Harry R. Stinson and son, of 1169 Osmer Street, have returned home after a month's visit with Mr. Stinson's sisters at Detroit and Port Huron, Michigan.
Among those who were confirmed by Bishop de Pencier on a recent visit to the Canadians in the field was General Sir Arthur Currie, Commander of the Canadian Corps.
Miss Gladie Rogers returned yesterday after a six months' visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Scott, at their ranch, Fairacres, Roydale, Alta. Miss Rogers also visited friends in Edmonton and Calgary.
Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lowe, whose marriage took place in Vancouver recently, are spending their honeymoon in this city. After November 15 they will be at home at the Benson Hotel, Portland, Ore.
Mrs. C. S. Quainton returned to the city yesterday from Brandon, Man., where she has been visiting friends since the conclusion of the triennial meetings of the Women's Auxiliary at Winnipeg, which she attended as delegate from the Columbia Diocese W. A.
Mrs. Winslow, widow of the late Major R. H. Winslow, who died of wounds in September, has arrived at an Eastern Canadian port en route for Victoria, after being two years in England. She is accompanied by Miss Whitehead, who has been engaged in nursing in the Old Country for the past two years.
The many local friends of Mrs. Alvin Ripley, formerly of Oak Bay, will hear with deepest regret that she passed away at Lethbridge on Saturday last, a victim of Spanish influenza. The late Mrs. Ripley was the widow of Major Ripley, who was killed in action in France some time ago. She leaves three small children to mourn her loss. A sad feature of her death is that the family but recently suffered a bereavement in the person of her late husband's brother, who passed away at Prince Rupert following an attack of influenza and was interred at Lethbridge.

SATURDAY'S TAG-DAY
MRS. W. H. BELSON
Convener of the L. O. D. E. Field Comforts Committee, which will on Saturday appeal to the public in aid of its wool fund, to continue the sending of woolen comforts—socks, sweaters and shirts—to the men in the trenches.
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Silk Fringes are probably the most favored trimming for silk or cloth Dresses during the present season. They are obtainable here in all the leading shades and in widths from 2 to 9 inches. Prices from 75¢ to \$4.00 yard.
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Directoire Knickers
In sky, pink, white or black, a pair, 85¢. White Lisle Knickers, a pair, \$1.00. Lisle Knickers, in sky, white or pink, a pair, \$1.25.
Colored Overall Aprons
A recent shipment has brought us a magnificent assortment of Aprons that are as dainty as they are serviceable, for the styles are new and pretty while the fabrics from which they are made are of good wearing qualities and in pleasing colors. The selection includes those of gingham in fancy stripes and checks, prints and chambray \$2.75 to \$3.75.

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hospital of Eastern Canada and was much impressed by the magnitude of the work now being done for the convalescent soldier. Mr. Schofield states that the epidemic is raging with much violence in New Brunswick and the eastern cities, and health regulations of a precautionary nature are so stringent as to include the temporary abandonment of all Red Cross meetings. In common with many recent visitors to the eastern cities, Mrs. Schofield is of the opinion that Victoria has been the least affected by the epidemic of any of the larger cities of the Dominion.
Lieut. W. J. Kane, of the Inland Water Transport Corps of the Royal Engineers, is in the city visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. John D. Keenan, 293 Superior Street. Lieut. Kane is well-known here, as prior to enlistment he was a captain in the Yukon service. He enlisted at Comox in the 162nd Battalion, and after some service in France received his commission in the Inland Water Transport.
Mrs. Gresson, wife of Capt. Gresson, R. N., of H. M. S. Lancaster, has arrived in the city from California. Capt. Gresson went over to the mainland on Sunday to meet Mrs. Gresson on her arrival at Vancouver, returning with her to Victoria on Monday.
To recognize officially a force of women police for London is the latest decision of the Home Office. They will be under the control of Sir Nevill Macready, Commissioner of Metropolitan Police. As yet, the number, duties and powers of the force have not been settled, and parliamentary powers may be needed. The nucleus will be found in the women patrols, who have done service during the last few months. Women who join the force will undergo a period of very careful training, and will be subjected to much the same discipline as men police. It is realized that the problem of the women and girls who frequent the principal thoroughfares can be dealt with effectually only by an official and permanent force of women police.
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Competition Invades Vancouver
and Spreads Among
Concerns Here

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Spreading only among nearly all local business houses and offices, the competition for the Victory Loan honor emblems has also invaded Vancouver. Every day sees new concerns force their way into the first division of hundred per cent patriots, and the junior, emblem contest for smaller firms is absorbing the staffs of practically every company not already in the race. Whole business blocks are being staged in some of the larger firms. The local teachers and the schools are rallying around as well, and the canvassers are doing all in their power to encourage the spirit of rivalry.

Fame Spreading.

"The fame of Victoria's Honor Emblem Competition has reached Vancouver," remarked George Bushby, in charge of the contest. "Yesterday we received a telegram from the Vancouver Victory Loan publicity man asking for full details of the methods we have originated for carrying on this most interesting campaign. Of course we wrote them fully and may expect to hear that they are following our example."

"Our canvassers," said Mr. Bushby, "are all keyed up over this competition, and it is our intention to turn them loose on the business portion of the city with the objective of placing the 100 per cent Honor Emblem, either senior or junior, in every window in town."

Schools "Going Over."

"At 11:30 last night Principal Harry Charlesworth rang up to inform us that the entire teaching staff of the George Jay School had subscribed for bonds, thus earning their Honor Emblem. He also stated that Principals Smith, Campbell and himself are to meet this afternoon to indicate a competition among all the teaching staffs in the district."

Mr. Charlesworth also stated that the proceeds of the sale of the Public School Magazine for this month will be invested in Victory Bonds. He asks the public to encourage the youngsters by buying their magazine.

Following are concerns which have jumped into the first division since ten o'clock yesterday morning:

Senior Competition—Canadian Explosives office staff, Hip Yick, teaching staff, George Jay School, Burdick Brothers & Brett, Brackman-Ker Milling Co. (office staff).

Junior Competition—T. Shotbolt, stores department of Foundation Co. (Pt. Hope yard), Sam Hop Co., Burdick Bros. & Brett (real estate office staff), R. B. Goldfree and employees, The Old Corner Cigar Stand.

FIFTY CLOSED TOWNS

Only Thirteen Municipalities and Districts Not Operating Under "Flu" Regulations.

Fifty municipalities and districts are now virtually closed up tight under the Spanish Influenza Regulations. Peachland and 150-Mile House and district having now made formal application for the requisite order-in-council prohibiting all forms of public assembly.

The second medical man in British Columbia to succumb to the ravages of the malady since it reached the epidemic stage is Dr. A. A. McPhail, of Lillooet, whose demise yesterday was announced in a telegram reaching Dr. Young at the Parliament Buildings this morning. Both medical men in Cumberland are also laid up, and totally unable to assist in the curative work there.

The death of Dr. McPhail and the incapacitation of the nurse at Lillooet has rendered the situation acute and the "Provincial" Board of Health has been appealed to. Dr. R. G. Newton, who has travelled over the line of the P. G. E. will proceed thence and assist.

Acquitted.—Frank Older appeared in the Police Court this morning charged with keeping a disorderly house. The Magistrate acquitted him.

Soldiers Returning.—Three soldiers are due to reach Victoria to-day: Alf Long, P. Wilson and J. Thompson.

WESTERN SCOT MAJOR BACK FROM FRANCE

Popular Second in Command
of 67th Battalion; Local
Casualties

Officers and men of the 67th Battalion, who have been returned to Canada from the firing line, will be pleased to hear that their popular Second in Command, Major A. E. Christie, D. S. O., has returned to Victoria. Major Christie, who was with the Western Scot Battalion in France as Second in Command is a veteran of three wars, and wears decorations for the Riel Rebellion and the South African war. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Order for his gallant work in rescuing wounded in the South African campaign, and again in this war, in addition to his sterling qualities as a leader, the men who served with him in France in the present great struggle speak of his consideration and the risks he took in bringing back the wounded from the battlefield to the field dressing stations. "He was



MAJOR A. E. CHRISTIE

always on hand when there was anything to be done," said one of his men, "and when a party was sent out to bring wounded men back he was nearly always the officer in charge."

Major Christie has a lengthy record of service in France, and after the 67th Battalion was disbanded, although not a young man for the arduous duties demanded in France, he took over the duties of Town Major. Before going overseas he was manager of the Union Bank in Victoria.

Timber Wolf Killed.—Private James Pryde, of the 102nd Battalion, is reported killed in action. Private Pryde, who was living in Alberni at the outbreak of war, enlisted with the Timber Wolves a few weeks previous to their departure for overseas. Proceeding to France with a draft selected from C Company he had been in the firing line over eighteen months.

Private Allen R. S. Campbell, who left from Victoria in the summer of 1916, is reported wounded. He trained at the Willows Camp, and went overseas with the 67th Battalion, proceeding to France with that unit. After a year's service with the pioneers he was transferred to a line battalion with which he was serving at the time he received his injuries. He has many friends in this city. His relatives live in Ireland.

Private Russell Earl, of the 142nd B. C. Cantams, is reported wounded. Private Earl whose relatives reside in Charlottetown, P. E. I., transferred from the 142nd Battalion to the 7th Battalion to proceed to France.

Men who left with the 2nd Depot Battalion continue to bear a heavy part in the struggle judging from the casualty lists, and among the names are many whose relatives reside in the United States.

Brothers in Hospital.—Gar. W. Roderick Allison, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Allison, of Victoria, has been wounded during the recent fighting about Cambrai, and is now in hospital in England with his chest injured and right arm fractured. One of his brothers, of the Princess Pats, is also in hospital after a long period in the trenches. Another brother is mechanic in the Royal Air Force, at Ontario.

Fined For Assault.—Charged with assault, Frank Miller was fined \$25 in the Police Court this morning.

TO ENTER SERVICE OF PROVINCE AS REGISTRAR- GENERAL OF TITLES



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J. C. GWYNN RESIGNS; IS NOW LIQUIDATOR

Registrar-General of Titles
Succeeds Andrew Stewart
in Dominion Trust

The announcement was made in Vancouver yesterday afternoon to the effect that J. C. Gwynn, Registrar-General of Titles for British Columbia, had resigned his position in the Service of the Province to assume the role of Liquidator of the Dominion Trust Company, in the room of Andrew Stewart, who asked to be released from his duties a few weeks ago. The matter was finally disposed of between Mr. Gwynn and the Hon. J. W. de la Fargis, Attorney-General and the executive head of the Department affected last night, and arrangements made for Mr. Gwynn to take up his new position almost immediately. Reference is made elsewhere in this issue of the appointment of F. J. Stacpoole, K.C., to the post vacated by Mr. Gwynn.

Vancouver Comment.—Commenting upon Mr. Gwynn and the choice of Mr. Justice Murphy in connection with the appointment, the Vancouver Daily Province has the following to say:

"An impression that Mr. Justice Murphy intended to go outside the ranks of the four local men whose names were put forward at yesterday's proceedings by various interests was current in business circles in the city owing to his lordship's remark that he would consider the four names together with those of any other who might be suitable for the position."

"It is recalled that Mr. Gwynn's name had been mentioned some time ago by some of the larger creditors at the time Andrew Stewart was contemplating leaving the liquidation. At that time Mr. Gwynn was acting as Registrar of Titles in the New Westminster district, and his later promotion to the position of Registrar-General at Victoria was taken to mean that he was no longer available for the liquidation. It is assumed that Mr. Justice Murphy has decided to go outside the ranks of all those who have been in any way connected with the liquidation, in making the request to the former Registrar-General that he take up the burden of winding up the Dominion Trust liquidation."

Former London Barrister.—"Mr. Gwynn is a former London barrister who came to this province about ten years ago and was called to the bar of this province. He had read law in the chambers of George Lawrence, equity treasury counsel in London, and was regarded as one of the Lord Davey-Haldane School of equity law. With Mr. Lawrence he was associated with many of the largest equity cases in England during the days when Lord Davey and Lord Haldane were practicing at the English bar."

"Mr. Gwynn had not often been heard in court in this province except where questions arising out of affairs at the Westminster land registry were concerned. He is a man in the prime of life, with a reputation for thoroughness and fearlessness, and enjoys the highest respect of members of bar and the judiciary. The selection of Mr. Gwynn by Mr. Justice Murphy is taken to mean that in future the liquidator will personally handle many of the legal matters arising out of the affairs of the Dominion Trust liquidation."

HEALTH TALK

SPANISH INFLUENZA OR GRIP

BY DR. LEE H. SMITH.

An old enemy is with us again, and whether we fight a German or a germ, we must put up a good fight, and not be afraid. The influenza runs a very brief course when the patient is careful, and if we keep the system in good condition and throw off the poisons which tend to accumulate within our bodies, we can escape the disease. Remember these three C's—a clean mouth, a clean skin and clean bowels. To carry off poisons from the system and keep the bowels loose, daily doses of a pleasant laxative should be taken. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of aloë, root of jalap, and called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Hot lemonade should be used freely if attacked by a cold, and the patient should be put to bed after a hot mustard foot-bath.

To prevent the attack of bronchitis or pneumonia and to control the pain, Anuric tablets should be obtained at the drug store, and one given every two hours, with lemonade. The Anuric tablets were first discovered by Dr. Pierce, and as they flush the bladder and cleanse the kidneys, they carry away much of the poisons and the uric acid.

It is important that broths, milk, buttermilk, ice cream and simple diet be given regularly to strengthen the system and increase the vital resistance. The fever is diminished by the use of the Anuric tablets, but in addition, the forehead, arms and hands may be bathed with wet (tepid) in which a tablespoonful of salaratus has been dissolved in a quart. After an attack of grip or pneumonia to build up and strengthen the system, obtain at the drug store a good iron tonic, called "Ironite" Tablets, or that well-known herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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CANVASSERS REPORT EXCELLENT RESULTS

Get Instructions Before Starting
Second Stage of
Drive

During yesterday's Victory Loan canvass, the salesmen covered probably more ground than on any day so far. The Loan cohorts were scattered from the shipyards, in the city to the farms about Royal Oak, and from the eastern suburbs to the dockyards in Esquimalt. Practically every district in the city has now been canvassed, and to-day is being spent in sorting out the tangled ends of the first lap of the drive. The canvassers will start out to-morrow with new enthusiasm, and backed with advice from their chief, who's determined that not a house within miles of Victoria shall be left untouched.

James Island "Comes Through."—After two busy days spent raking in dollars from James Island, J. W. Judson, J. Hanby and Sergt-Major McIntosh returned yesterday, their pockets crammed with bond applications to the extent of about \$3,000. The trio of salesmen saw nearly every employee of the big plant, thanks to the courtesy of H. J. Scott, Vice-President of the Company, and R. J. Walley, Superintendent. Though they reaped such a generous harvest, the salesmen are not entirely satisfied with their

efforts, and they have promises for the purchase of many more bonds before the end of the campaign. At the Cameron Lumber Company's mill, a team, piloted by T. E. Mariner, met with success, and a start was made on the Foundation Yard by Alderman Peden and F. Lewin.

Soldiers Respond.—The soldiers in the convalescent hospital at Esquimalt and at Signal Hill, in spite of their small pay, and the fact that many of them have given their health and even limbs for their country, are, in many cases investing what little money they have saved in the Loan. J. B. Warnicker and his team were conducting the canvass among the soldiers yesterday.

The subscription of the British-American Trust Company, through A. C. Flumerfelt, amounting to \$51,000, swelled yesterday's investment considerably.

Canvassers Get Instructions.—Before they left upon their rounds to-day the canvassers were given some further advice on how they should finish up the campaign in whirlwind style and put Victoria really "over the top." The captains received some additional advice from Kenneth Ferguson

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at noon, and fresh enthusiasm was instilled into the drive by the encouraging remarks of the energetic leader.

ONLY TWELVE CASES

To-day's Influenza Report More Favorable Than Yesterday.

For several days past the number of influenza cases have kept down to a fairly low figure. Yesterday, however, the total for the day was reported as eighty-three, and Dr. Price, City Health Officer, is of the opinion that they were all fresh cases, as he is inclined to the belief that recent occasions on which a certain amount of crowding resulted explains away the increase. The disease is supposed to take about four days to develop after infection has taken place.

This morning, however, things took on a more hopeful aspect when only twelve cases were reported for the period ending at noon. The majority of the new cases are usually reported by doctors early in the day, and it is not believed that to-day's total will be large. Apart from the epidemic of Spanish influenza, the health of the city is all that could be desired.

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COUNTRY HAS PROMISE OF BRIGHT FUTURE

Settlers Struggle Against Iso-
lation and Lack of
Facilities

In view of the coming conference of Provincial Premiers to be held in Ottawa on November 19 next, and more particularly by reason of the fact that one of the most important topics to be discussed there will be that of soldier settlement, an excellent description of the whole of the Peace River section supplied by Arthur Simpson, of Pouce Coupe, and sent to the Hon. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Secretary, is set out below. The information carefully compiled by the writer is all the more valuable on account of its practical nature and the quality of advice it contains. It also bears out the claim of the British Columbia Land Settlement Board in its pamphlet with settlement areas No. 1 and 2, shortly to be thrown open for occupation in the country described by Mr. Simpson.

General Information.

He observes in his letter to the Minister that conditions in the Peace River District are vastly different today than they were a few years ago. And while he emphasizes the fact that the future of the northern central section of the Province is linked up in transportation development, he sees every possible chance to make good with the limited means in conveniences which now exist. One thousand dollars, he says, should see a married man and a family on the way to success, and a single man could make a comfortable living with about half the amount. Needless to add the settler must be prepared to work and work hard. He declares that many quarter sections are open for renting on the part crop payment system—a plan which enables the settler to make something on his first year's labors. Dairy stock at the outset he regards as a profitable investment. Mr. Simpson's story to the Minister follows:

The Peace River District.

During the last four or five years the eyes of landseekers have been directed to the Peace River District as the last great west. Glowing reports have filtered through from time to time about the present prosperity of that part and the great future in store for it, chiefly from an agricultural point of view. At the present moment when the attention of Governments is directed to the problem of settling returned soldiers on the land, a brief account of this district might be of some little service both to those whose hands will direct the returned soldiers back to the land and to those who are independently seeking land for homesteading.

Went From Victoria.

The writer remembered reading about five years ago of the thousands of homesteaders who trekked in from Edmonton via the Edmonton trail, and it was with much curiosity and a certain amount of elation that he set out from Victoria on December 1, 1917, to open up a new school in the Pouce Coupe District. This district is the only settlement of any size in the Peace River block, although the homesteaders are taking up land westward towards the Pine Pass and northward towards the Peace River. The country is surveyed and open for settlement in the range of hills south of Dawson Creek for about twenty miles north, nearly up to the Peace River.

According to figures given on the latest plan issued by the Department of the Interior, January 1, 1917, the surveyed district comprises roughly a rectangular block thirty-six miles E. and W. by twenty-four miles N. and S. A copy of the plan showing land open for settlement can be obtained from the sub-agent, Dominion Land Office, Pouce Coupe, showing the number of quarter sections open for homesteading on January 1, 1917, and many of these sections were taken up during that year.

Bank at Pouce Coupe.

Pouce Coupe has a branch of the Bank of Commerce and two others. It is connected by telegraph line to Edmonton. There are four schools and two churches, one Anglican, the other Roman Catholic, and a district hall. The people are of many nationalities, with a large preponderance of French-Canadians and Norwegian-Americans. The latter are, or were, naturalized American farmers from the Dakotas, but almost every state in the Union has its representative here.

December is supposed to be an unsuitable time in which to go into a district where the temperature falls sometimes to sixty degrees below zero, both on that account and also because of the difficulty of access owing to the fact that the nearest railway terminals are at Grande Prairie, 100 miles distant, or Spirit River, sixty-five miles.

The writer was advised to go to Spirit River, as this latter being the nearer point the farmers would be hauling out their grain to the elevators, and he should be able to get in on a return sleigh. "As fortune would have it," he says, "I arrived at Spirit River on December 4, too late for those who had come in with the sleighs. The winter was late and the farmers had been able to continue fall ploughing right up to the last week in November. However, I was fortunate in making acquaintance with a young farmer who was moving in with his family, cattle and machinery, and was able to take charge of one of his wagons on the trip in.

Lack of Running Water.

"One of the greatest inconveniences in all this country is the lack of good running water. At Spirit River water was being hauled three and a half miles from town, and sold to those needing it. The water we drew for the stock at the barn was hauled from outside and dumped into the well; the

same condition prevails all through the country, more or less.

"The temperature was twenty degrees below zero when we started from Spirit River, quite a change for one who has lived on the coast where it rarely, if ever, falls to zero. I had always understood that one could experience without inconvenience severe cold in a dry climate and my experience proved the correctness of the report. Many times I have been much colder and felt miserable driving on the road, but a temperature a few degrees below freezing, which I did driving a slow team at twenty degrees below. The snow was light and powdery, the sun shone brilliantly in a blue sky, the wheels crunched over the hard roads and I felt that the world was a good place to live in after all.

Thirty-five Below.

"Our second day on the trail was quite a different story. A cold wind blew all day, with a temperature of thirty-five degrees below, and it was difficult to keep fingers and toes from freezing. We were in the burnt timber without any shelter from the wind and in our anxiety to make speed we made the mistake of not halting for a mid-day meal. With that one exception our five days on the trail were not at all uncomfortable and if travelers make the distances between the numerous rest houses before sundown, the journey, even in winter, is interesting and not too uncomfortable.

Stopping Places.

"Rest-houses, or stopping places, stand at intervals of ten or twelve miles along the trail, where accommodation is provided both for man and beast, but it is a wise precaution to take along a basket of food, as some of the stopping places do not provide meals for travelers.

"The newcomer is struck by the peculiarity of the river formation in the district. The Pouce Coupe River runs through the locality to which it has given a name. The name originates from the fact that an Indian cut his thumb on the banks of the river. (French: Pouce Coupe—cut thumb).

"In looking across the prairie one cannot distinguish the course of the river until one is close to it. There is no suggestion of a slope, but you suddenly find yourself on the brink of a steep bank—hundreds of feet below in the river, while the further bank is three or four hundred yards away. One would naturally expect to find a broad river at the bottom of such a slope, but usually it is a shallow stream which can be forded easily except in spring, when the snow melts, or after a heavy rain.

Best Land Seen Here.

"Standing on the summit of the line of hills that close in the Pouce Coupe district to the south, and looking north, one gets a view of the best land that has already been settled. Below is Dawson Creek, running from W. to E. to join the Pouce Coupe River, which runs north and northeast along the base of a line of hills, the highest of the prairie on the east. Away to the north, out of one's range of vision at a distance of about thirty miles, is the Peace River. Most of the land northward is homesteaded to within ten miles of the river, where it begins to be covered with brush. North of the Peace River, however, there is more good farm land.

"To the west, homesteaders are reaching out towards the Pine Pass, through which the P. G. E. Railway will eventually pass. The general features of the country are a series of flat meadows and slopes. The slopes from one level to the next, which continue to rise northward to the Peace River, are of fairly steep gradient, but not too steep to cultivate, and the slopes are important of the peculiarities of this climate should bear this important fact in mind when choosing a location, namely, that the high land is the safest for wheat growing. If one chooses a lower level stretch of land it is more than probable that the wheat will be touched with frost before it is ripe.

Sunny Spring.

"Sometimes in spring the sunlands are bathed in brilliant sunshine, while the lowlands are hidden beneath a frosty haze. Some high ground at least should be secured for wheat growing. The meadows are rich pastures or hay land, but to plant wheat or potatoes on them is to invite disaster. Residents here who have travelled north from the Mississippi following the frontier assured the writer that the soil is by far the richest they have seen.

Crops.

"Wheat is King in this district. An average yield is about twenty-five bushels to the acre and fifty bushels of oats, but on the best breaking wheat produces fifty bushels and oats over one hundred bushels. Some homesteaders have no horses nor any machinery. They pay for the planting, harvesting, threshing and hauling to the elevator at Spirit River. Even with all this expense they are making a clear profit of \$12 per acre. Breaking costs about \$4 per acre and is best done by oxen.

"Oats is a commercial crop and is almost as valuable as wheat, as there is a big local demand for good seed oats and also for feed. Wheat is freighted to the elevators at 50c a bushel. A considerable amount of wheat this year has graded 5, at \$1.57 a bushel, so that oats, which will sell as high as 75c a bushel this spring locally, pays almost as well as wheat. Barley is grown on the lower lands for hog feed as it is hardy and ripens early.

"Of roots, potatoes are grown only for home consumption. It is impossible to ship out anything perishable during the winter, and after the snow has gone in the spring the Spirit River trail is impassable until June. The only hauling from Pouce Coupe to Spirit River has to be done on the sleighing is good, and the moment the snow is gone everyone is busy with preparations for the new seedling.

No Fruit Yet.

"Pears, peaches, cabbages, onions, etc., do well. So far no effort has been made to introduce fruit trees, probably because wild fruits, namely, strawberries and raspberries, are in abundance. Also because everyone is busy breaking up all the land they can handle in order to get the benefit of the high price of wheat.

"As to climate: In winter the cold is severe when a cold snap actually settles down, but it usually lasts only for a week or two, and when the temperature is low there is an entire absence of wind. Blizzards are unknown and there is hardly a day when a man cannot go out with his team. Many farmers who have homesteaded in Dakota and Texas are very emphatic in asserting that the winters here are nothing like so severe as in those places, chiefly owing to the absence of wind. The winter of 1917-18 commenced about December 1, 1917. Most of the farmers were breaking until the middle of November, but frosts put an end to field work during the last week—snowfalling about the 4th of December.

January Not Severe.

"The whole of December was cold, with a temperature ranging from 20 deg. to 50 deg. below, with a fairly deep snowfall. In January the temperature rose to about 10 deg. below and remained steady the whole month. Light snowfalls were frequent and there was

an absence of the usual Chinook winds all the winter.

"In February we had snow at intervals, but the weather continued mild, making it unnecessary to wear an overcoat unless out driving. No one need dread the winter so far as low temperatures are concerned. Farmers haul wheat all through the winter, and the greatest hardship is the drifting snow. Intending settlers should be prepared with suitable clothing, otherwise great hardship will result. In the cold snaps the most suitable footwear is a pair of moccasins with felt insoles and 3 pairs

of woolen socks, while a pair of rubber overshoes large enough to go over two pairs of socks will keep the feet dry and warm during the Chinook winds. For the hands, good leather or skin mitts with woolen linings inside are usually worn. For headgear, a fur cap with collar and side flap to pull down in the wind is best, although most people wear woolen helmets.

Fires and Mosquitoes.

"Trappers and those who are freighting usually wear a fur-lined coat, but for most purposes a good mackinaw coat is sufficient. Underclothing of

wool of course is essential. In spring there are heavy rains of short duration and again about the first week in July, otherwise there is little rain. Flies and mosquitoes are troublesome through all these northern areas.

"The summers are cool, due to the elevation of 2,500 feet, but crops ripen fast. The days are long—sunrise, or at least daylight, commencing about 2.30 in the morning and continuing until 11 o'clock at night. At the present time fuel is in abundance, though small in size. Looking in every direction the country is seen dotted with belts of small brush, clumps of red willow, balm

of gilead trees and poplars, the latter about six to twelve inches in diameter.

"The whole country has the appearance of a natural park. No quarter section is absolutely void of timber, but in a few years the fuel problem will begin to assume importance to those who have thoughtlessly chopped it down and intending homesteaders would be wise to consider carefully how they clear away the limited amount of timber on their land.

Conserve Timber.

Sometimes an acre or so of willow

and poplar grows in the centre of a twenty-acre patch of clear prairie and down it comes to straighten out the field. It would be much better to stack it for future use, rather than burn it indiscriminately where it stands. In ten years' time many homesteaders will be compelled to take a trip to the hills for winter fuel, whereas by careful cutting and replenishing, each section would provide all the fuel necessary.

"For sawed timber for building there is a mill already in operation and each homesteader is allowed by permit from (Concluded on page 2.)

the journey of a ten dollar bill

I am a Ten Dollar Bill.

I may also add that I am a Canadian Ten Dollar Bill and naturally doing all I can to help our fighting boys win this war.

About a year ago when I was only a few days old, I was handed out by one of our chartered banks to a storekeeper named John Doe. I was crisp and clean then, with a bright yellow back.

I have spent a mighty busy year, and faded out a lot, but, believe me, my usefulness is as great as ever.

When I first started out in life the Victory Loan Campaign of 1917 was on. In fact, my very first job in life was to help pay for a Victory Bond John Doe had bought. Together with millions of other bills, large and small, that answered the 1917 call, I was sent to Ottawa. But I didn't stay at the Capital long.

The very next day I went to pay a lumber dealer in British Columbia for some spruce he had sold the British Government for aeroplanes. The lumber dealer immediately put me in the bank.

But just as I was getting used to my surroundings I was taken from the bank and soon found myself slipped in a small

yellow envelope with some other bills and handed out one Saturday to one of the lumber company's employees, who carried me home with him, where I remained all night.

The next day in he goes to a storekeeper: "Here's the ten dollars I owe you," he said to the storekeeper, who immediately "rang me up" in his till.

But my stay there was brief. Next day the storekeeper totalled us up, and I heard him say to his assistant: "Collections are splendid again. I can pay all my accounts this month."

Shortly after this I came into the possession of a commercial traveller, and I next saw the light of day in a small

restaurant in a grain town away out on the broad prairies. No sooner had I got comfortably settled in the safe when in comes a farmer with an elevator receipt which he had received for a load of wheat. "Cash this for me," he asked, and I passed into the farmer's wallet, but only for a few minutes—for on his way home he spent me at the hardware store in town for gasoline to operate his threshing outfit.

I am not going to take your valuable time going into details of the different hands I passed through in my trip east—through Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, until I found myself in the services of a firm in Montreal engaged in making munitions. Here I took another trip to the bank.

It was very peaceful and quiet in the bank vaults. But I was glad they did not keep me there long. I don't want to be idle when there is so much war work to do. And I wasn't, for on Friday I once more found myself in a pay envelope. The man who got me said to his wife that evening: "Here is the money for the household expenses." The following Monday I was traded for shoes for the man's children.

The shoe dealer almost immediately sent me to a leather firm. They turned me over to a tannery. The tannery passed me on to a farmer to pay for some hides. The farmer bought a tractor and sent me to the city. Here I was once more enclosed in an envelope and handed to a workman on pay day. He used me to help buy a suit of clothes. The tailor sent me away down east to square his account with a cloth maker. He turned me over to a coal dealer. He spent me for fish, and I took a short trip on a fishing boat and heard the men talking about U-boats and I looked anxiously around the horizon. But we got safely home with a fine catch. The fisherman needed some new tackle, so once more I started inland.

He carried me home with him.

He came into the possession of a traveller.

He spent me for fish.

I am a Ten Dollar Bill—that's my face value. You can see I am plainly marked "Ten Dollars."—But the strange thing is that during this year I have bought hundreds of dollars worth of goods, paid hundreds of dollars worth of debts on my journey from place to place in Canada. And what I am doing, forty-two million other ten dollar bills who volunteered to serve their country at the last Victory Loan, are also doing.

Older bills I have met—bills that were in circulation before the war—tell me that Canadian people don't use us for the frivolous purposes they once did. This, of course, is as it should be, because we must defeat the Germans. We must maintain our boys at the front, which we could not do if my efforts and the efforts of my fellows are ill-spent. Now, Canadian ladies and gentlemen, I am going to bring my talk to an end by telling you the queerest thing of all about my travels.

My present home is in the bank, the officials of which gave me permission to come here and address you in the interests of the Victory Loan 1918. I am at this very moment lying at the credit of the same John Doe, storekeeper, where I was last year. I heard him say when he handed me to the bank: "Put that ten dollars to my credit, please. I am going to buy some Victory Bonds next week."

So, I presume, I am destined for another trip to Ottawa, and another busy year going up and down the country—keeping factories, farms, lumber camps and stores paid for their goods and their labor. And I am proud to be of such service to my country.

Just one thing more and I am through: I hope each Canadian will do everything he can to defeat the Germans, because, if he does not, I, as a Canadian Ten Dollar Bill, will not be worth much—and German money, which I understand, is called "marks," will travel up and down Canada in our places, and my race will disappear from the face of the earth.

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"Gee," was all he said as many people who would have bought papers from him passed by, unnoticed in the crowd.

In the evening the little fellow appeared at the headquarters of the Victory Loan with his father, a worker in one of the shipyards.

"I don't intend to buy a bond," said the newsboy, "but I have decided to take out \$100 worth. The kid here," he continued with a smile, "thinks the bonds will."

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After a second brush with the fair sex, in connection with the Victory Loan, Sergt. Lawrence's opinion of its members has risen considerably. He got a severe shock the other day, and with it a bond.

The Sergeant, after an adventure with a "snapper," had determined to combine his efforts to women on the safe side of the street. His prospective bond-buyer, as selected by him personally, was of the mid-Victoria type—tall, straight and stern.

No Use For Bonds.

It doesn't matter exactly how the Sergeant got talking to the lady in question. The main thing is that he did get entangled in the web of her conversation—entangled with a vengeance. "I shall have no use for Victory Bonds," said the lady sternly, scanning the veteran through her tortoise. "I am going to India shortly, and I don't wish to have this country called to my mind by any links with the past whatever. It's full of influenza, and Victory Loans, and I don't like it."

"Don't you know, madam, that the Victory Loan will fight Germany," asked the Sergeant.

"My son died fighting Germany," said the lady with an expression which, for the first time, gave the Sergeant an inkling into her real character. "And his father died in South Africa," she added, but with a softer note in her voice.

"Now, sir, having paid me the honor of asking me to invest in your silly Victory Loan, I hope you will leave me, sir!"

A Strategic Withdrawal.

The Sergeant took this as a polite hint to withdraw. He proceeded to do so, but he was not far from the lady when she called back, "Sir," she said in a low, but kindly tone, "I dislike Canada. I detest Canadians, at least some of them. I hate your climate, your snow, your mountains and your bore some trannies, but, sir, to use a vulgar expression, you are 'some' fighters. What is your name, sir?"

"Sit down," she continued, "and fill out an application to the credit of the credit of Sergt. Lawrence, for \$100 worth of bonds, and now, sir, you might close the door as you leave, your Canadian drafts go right through me, sir!"

What She Had Given.

The Sergeant, who was in a rather confused state of mind, was stopped as he left the room by a young woman. "Did you see, aunty?" she asked him. "Y-y-es, I did."

"Don't mind anything she says," she said; "her aunty never got over the death of her son at Ypres. He was all she had, and when he was killed she invested all her money in War Bonds. She's just a little odd, that's all."

"Now, what's the man and all to do in a case like that?" asked Sergeant Lawrence.

Have You Bought Young Johnnie's Bond Yet?

On Game Matters—Dr. A. R. Baker, Chairman of the British Columbia Game Conservation Board, is in the city to-day and called upon the Hon. J. W. de la Farris, Attorney-General, at the Parliament Building this morning on matters connected with Game Conservation.

Doing Well for Loan—In a letter to the Department of Lands this morning, B. F. Jackson, one of the best known residents of the Bella Cobia Valley, announces that so far the locality has subscribed \$23,000 to the Victory Loan. The majority of the people are Norwegians and all told the valley would not boast of more than 250 inhabitants.

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VICTORIA RECEIVES GENEROUS PUBLICITY

Numbers of Magazines Are Featuring Stories About District

A surprisingly large number of publications having a wide circulation throughout Canada and the United States have been applying recently to Miss Taylor, of the Victoria and Island Development Association, for information and illustrations for the purpose of featuring "Victoria and the surrounding district in their issues."

No less than half a dozen applications of this nature have been made to Miss Taylor within the past two or three days, and needless to say advantage is taken of the opportunity to advertise the local attractions. Miss Taylor has supplied the publishers with illustrations suitable to their respective needs. For instance, the editor of a sporting magazine requires views and information on all that pertains to sport, another applicant wishes information relative to motoring facilities, and so on.

Descriptive pamphlets issued by the Victoria and Island Development Association are also being sent to the various magazine publishers for distribution among applicants desiring further information about Victoria and Vancouver Island.

H. P. Bird, Editor of the Western Canadian Motorist at Vancouver, a former associate of Charles L. Armstrong's in Victoria, is doing some good work for the association on the mainland, and many tourists came to Victoria during the past season after calling on him, and hearing what he had to say about the attractions of the motor routes on Vancouver Island.

Visitors continue to call at the local office of the association in large numbers, and Miss Taylor is constantly kept busy answering inquiries and assisting new arrivals to get settled in the city.

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the land office to cut \$500 feet of logs, haul them to the mill and get it sawn at \$6 per thousand.

"Water supply, especially good drinking water, is one of the principal difficulties during the first year or so of a settler. The majority depend largely on the creeks and sloughs which are scattered over the district, but it is only a temporary provision. When the district has settled down and the homesteaders have more time and money, well borers will doubtless find a profitable field of employment, and the profitable hand-to-hand arrangement will be done away with."

"In winter many farmers cut blocks of ice from the creeks and pile them out outside their homes. Others melt the cattle to the creek and cut a hole in the ice. In many cases wells have to be sunk 100 feet in order to get water, but it is all a matter of location. Some get water at fifteen or twenty feet, others fail to strike it at all."

Game.

"This district is not a game country. It is too open and in many respects resembles one of the best farming countries seen in the heart of England. Every quarter section is taken up for some miles in every direction. Many are enclosed with wire or rail fences and seekers after big game have to ride out one or two days to the brush-covered hills that enclose the prairie, or go west to the Pine Pass. Moose are plentiful in the timber, but they are scarce, as well as bears, both black and grizzly, from May 10 or thereabout until the freeze-up."

Coyotes and foxes may still be caught around the ranches and their furs fetch good prices, especially black fox. Weasels are fairly plentiful and for those who keep a flock of fowls. The winners are inclined to be dreary and a few traps provide a little amusement and healthy recreation for those who care for that kind of sport. And one never knows whether a black fox will be caught worth a few hundred dollars, or a coyote worth only ten."

"There is little to do from December to March for the first year or so, and the time can be put in on a trap line just as well as on the homestead with the added inducement that profit and pleasure will be the result."

Duck, Geese and Fish.

"During the spring, duck and geese are abundant wherever there is a big slough. Fish are plentiful in the larger lakes, but the small lakes usually freeze solid and hence no fish can live in them. About twenty-five miles from Peace Coulee lies Swan Lake, which is teeming with white fish and pickerel, very appetizing, especially the former which is considered the finest fresh water fish on the continent. White fishing usually commences after the ice has formed and they are taken by means of nets strung under the ice. The procedure is as follows: A long pole is cut to which is fastened one end of the long net. A hole is then cut in the ice and the pole pushed out under the surface to its full length. Then another hole is cut at the far end so as to reach the pole, and it is drawn forward and pushed ahead once again, and so on, carrying the net with it. When the net is fully stretched it can be drawn out at either end by means of the ropes attached."

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Sheep Industry.

"This district, especially along the banks of the Peace River will in the future provide some of the best sheep ranches in the Province. The development of the country is being seriously handicapped by the lack of railway facilities. Opinion, of course, is very divided concerning the future of the district, much better criticism being levelled at the Government because they, the settlers, were expecting a railway to come in almost immediately. The aggravation is all the keener because the grade is already completed, and there seems to be no reason why the steel could not have been laid—that is from Spirit River."

"There is no doubt whatever of the great possibilities of this district, but the lack of communication is a great handicap to everyone. Some ranchers are not breaking up more land, and refusing to go ahead until there is a prospect of some relief. Many of the batchelors have obtained their patents and gone out, and quarter sections are open for leasing on every hand. This means that the married settlers are

deprived of a home market for butter and eggs, and are also facing a labor shortage. Those who can afford to move among the married settlers are preparing to move out—in many cases intending to return when the railway comes in.

Want a Promise.

"It is due to the residents that some definite promise should be given for many are of the opinion that it will be years before any move is made. Those who remain are renting quarters all around and neglecting to break up their own sections, whereas if every one was in residence the output of grain could easily be quadrupled. There is one feature of the homestead regulations that appears to need reconsideration."

"In the rush for land five years ago the odds were all in favor of the single man. He had no family to consider, and was able to get in at the first rush very often with little cash or machinery of any kind. After filing he was free to go out again to get work outside at any time. As soon as his three years' residence and homestead duties were completed, in many cases, he left the district, as a result vacant sections are as common as blackberries in the Fall. Many of them will never return. It would probably help to keep white men on the land if their patents were granted on the production of a marriage certificate."

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North Vancouver, Nov. 5.—The 41-ton Lyall, the third of the auxiliary schooners in course of construction by the William Lyall Company, was successfully launched at 9 o'clock this morning at the yards.

CHARGES CAPTAIN LOCKE WAITED FOR FURTHER ORDERS

Paul Graham, Who Helped in Recovery of Sophia Bodies, Interviewed

PITABLE STORY OF THE TRAGEDY'S END

Seattle, Nov. 6.—Paul Graham, of Juneau, has reached Seattle on board the Alaska Steamship Company's liner Northstar, bringing a story of the last hour of the ill-fated Princess Sophia.

Should Have Been Saved.
"Every man, woman and child aboard the Princess Sophia should have been saved," was the statement made to The Seattle Times by Graham as he came ashore from the Northwestern yesterday.

"Many hours before the great gale swept down upon the Princess Sophia, lying helpless and at the mercy of the elements on Vanderbilt Reef, the stormiest spot in Lynn Canal, the masters of the schooner King & Winge and the United States lighthouse tender Cedar begged and pleaded with Captain Locke to allow them to take off the passengers. But he refused all offers of assistance. There was practically no rough weather. The waters of Lynn Canal were a bit choppy, but there was no weather that would make the transfer of the passengers dangerous.

"I believe I could have taken some of them off in a rowboat. Captain Locke answered the pleading of the masters of the King & Winge and the lighthouse tender Cedar with the statement that he must await orders. He explained that he had wireless Vancouver for instructions and had been informed that the Princess Alice was on her way to the assistance of the stranded liner.

"The King & Winge and the Cedar were willing and anxious to take off the passengers but Captain Locke was determined. He had his orders from the Canadian Pacific and had decided to await the arrival of the Princess Alice, which must steam all the way from Victoria while the Sophia pounded on the rocks of Vanderbilt Reef and her peril increased.

Were Alongside Sophia.
"The King & Winge and Cedar were nearly alongside when they offered assistance to the Sophia and I was able to go close to her stern in a gasboat without any difficulty. The rescue vessels could have gone on the leeward side of the wreck and could have taken all of the passengers and the crew off. The vessels lay near the Sophia, their masters begging to be permitted to perform the rescue. But Captain Locke said that he must wait.

The message said: "We must wait. I cannot use the rescue vessels without orders. The Princess Alice is coming to our assistance. I have wireless Vancouver for instructions. We must wait."

"We were told that if the rescue boats had been Canadian or British craft they would have been allowed to take the passengers off but they were Americans and that settled it with Captain Locke. The Princess Alice was on the way and it would not cost the company so much if the passengers were transferred to that vessel, a British steamer of the same fleet. He could not spend the extra money it would cost to place them aboard American boats without instructions from Vancouver, we were told.

"It was easy to refuse the offers of assistance from the King & Winge and to await instructions the day after the stranding. There was comparatively no rough weather, just a bit choppy, some wind-chops but no gale. But Captain Locke was wasting precious minutes, precious hours, which meant the loss of his vessel and every person aboard her.

Storm Drove Ships Away.
"Before the Princess Alice arrived a great storm swept down from the north tossing up huge waves, driving the King & Winge and the Cedar to shelter. The opportunity to transfer the passengers had been lost and in a short time the storm lifted the doomed Sophia from her cradle of rocks and she went down with all on board."

Graham, an employee of the Alaska Packing & Navigation Company, of Juneau, and operated the gasboat Norby. When the call came for volunteers to assist in rescuing the bodies of the victims of the disaster, he offered his services and left Juneau immediately for the scene of the wreck.

"I will never forget my experience," said Graham in describing his cruise in Lynn Canal near the jagged reef on which the Sophia was lost. "It was a terrible sight. Strong men of the Yukon who were accustomed to hardships, women and children had the same chance and it was no chance at all. When the doomed liner slipped off the rocks, her oil tanks burst and in a few minutes the surface of the water was covered with a thick coating of fuel oil. Into this the passengers, officers and crew plunged and soon were breathing the thick substance, which suffocated many persons in a few minutes.

"One man swam a distance of fifteen miles with wind and wave. We found him sitting on the beach of Lincoln Island with his coat over his head. He had died from exhaustion and exposure as he sat in the chilly air wet to the skin after his long struggle in the water.

Treasure Recovered.
"We picked up the body of a man on which was \$40,000 in money and gold dust, most of which was in a belt around his waist.

"A large number of the passengers aboard the Sophia were coming out of the North for the first time in ten or fifteen years and had large sums of money on their persons. One woman had thousands of dollars worth of diamonds with her when she went down.

Nothing had been seen of the body when I left Juneau.
Denial of the above charge is made by Dalton C. Coleman, Western Vice-President of the C. P. R. in an official statement as follows:
"The Canadian Pacific Railway Company would ask the public to receive with reserve any historical statements made in connection with the loss of the Princess Sophia. No doubt a proper Government investigation will be held in due course, and in the meantime, in justice to the captain and crew who lost their lives, and in justice to the crews of the American boats who went promptly to the rescue of the Sophia, judgment should be suspended.

"Statements to the effect that Capt. Locke refused offers of help because he was awaiting instructions are absolutely ridiculous. This same captain has been known to go sixty miles out of his course to render assistance to a disabled vessel without instructions from his headquarters, and was commended for so doing. In the present case, he asked for no instructions, but merely reported the situation, what help he had received and told why it was impossible to transfer the passengers at once. Immediately after the ship was stranded, the captain was telegraphed about measures for the safety of the passengers, and every telegram sent him by the management of our coast service referred exclusively to this point, and no reference whatever was made to questions of expense, or even of salvaging the boat itself. The safety of the passengers was our first and only concern, and being perturbed over the fact that it was impossible to get them off on the day of the stranding, we telegraphed not only our own general agent in Alaska about adequate assistance, but the telegraph service being such that a telegram was dispatched to the Collector of Customs at Juneau, asking if he could do anything, and a satisfactory reply was received from him. As to the measures which might have been taken to save the passengers, we would refer the public to the official report of the captain of the U. S. ship Cedar to his Government, and the public statement given to the press by the Governor of Alaska."

MARINE INQUIRY AGAIN ADJOURNED

The Marine Court investigating the circumstances of the stranding of the C. P. R. steamship Princess Adelaide this noon adjourned until Friday morning to await the presence of Third Engineer McKay, who was the officer of the watch below at the time the steamer was wrecked.

Third Engineer McKay was called to the deathbed of his sister at New Westminster, and the court was informed by Capt. C. D. Norrington that the witness, under the sad circumstances, could not comply with the order of the court before Friday.

Four other witnesses were heard during the morning session without the situation being clarified to any marked extent.
Steward Rowlands gave evidence which conclusively proved that there was nothing to prevent the master of the ship having his meals in his cabin on the bridge, if he so wished it.
Nelson, informed the court that he went on watch at midnight, relieved the quartermaster at the wheel, and was in turn relieved at 12.30 p.m. when he resumed his duty of polishing brasswork. In answer to a question by Capt. Jones-Evans witness said he had been on duty on the foghorn at the pass three times. He was in the tween decks at the time, and the blast sounded right ahead. Under the impression that the weather was getting thick he took up his station near the bell house in the tween decks forward, to be handy in the event of his services being needed.

Speed of Vessel.
The speed of the vessel was a point again raised by F. A. McDiarmid, counsel for Capt. R. A. Hunter and Second Officer H. A. Ormiston. Counsel contended that the speed of the vessel must have been in the vicinity of sixteen and a half knots in view of the evidence of the chief engineer. Capt. J. D. Macpherson pointed out that the speed averages had been worked out, and it was clear that on her first voyage the Adelaide had never made sixteen knots. The only time she had approached sixteen knots was when passing the Vancouver Narrows on a strong ebb tide.

Steward Ernest Brist testified that the captain was on the bridge whenever he cared to. He was in the pantry at the time of the stranding, and knew nothing as to the weather conditions.

He first realized something was wrong when the engines were reversed. The table at which the captain partook of his meals was served by one steward, the seating capacity of the table being six people.
Chief Engineer McKay, of French extraction, born in Mexico, informed the court that he had been an oil fireman on the Adelaide for the past five months, having been a wiper for two months prior to that time. "It must be an easy business to learn in five months," commented Capt. Macpherson. He went on watch at noon, his duty being to maintain a steady head of steam. The gauge showed a steam pressure of 125 pounds, the same pressure as the day before, and the previous day. He saw no change as the Adelaide was entering the Pass and got the telegraph signal to close the watertight doors, a precaution always taken when passing through the narrows. After the vessel struck the rocks, he turned off the oil, and the steam pressure. After the vessel was resting on the rocks he opened the oil feed valves again on an order from the bridge, being necessary to maintain the steam pressure.

WAR ATLIN IS LAST VESSEL TO BE FITTED OUT ON MAINLAND

Running satisfactory trials across the Gulf the wooden steamer War Atlin arrived at Ogden Point yesterday from Vancouver, where she had just completed fitting out at the Wallace Shipyards.

The War Atlin is the last of the fleet to be fitted out on the mainland. With the exception of the War Supas, which is being equipped with engines and boilers at Yarrow, all the remaining ships of the twenty-seven built on this coast under the I. M. R. programme are now fitting out at the Ogden Point Assembly plant.

The end of the year will see the completion of the contract at Ogden Point.

CHEROKEE INDIAN PICTURESQUE FIGURE ON ORIENTAL LINER

Chief Hailstorm, Full-Blooded Native of Oklahoma, Toured Far East as Actor

Chief Hailstorm, a full-blooded Cherokee Indian, voyaged into the port this morning with traditional regalia. He was a passenger aboard the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kamo Maru, Capt. R. Yu Wahi Zonta, but he figures on the ship was stranded, as J. F. Vannoy, his most familiar title, however, is Chief Hailstorm and as such he has been touring Japan, China and Russia as an actor. He has been traveling over this extended circuit for the past four years and during that time has become quite a linguist. For nine months he was in Japan, and long before the expiration of that period he was able to deliver lectures in language quite understandable to the natives. He also picked up a smattering of Chinese, and became fairly well versed in the Russian tongue during his sojourn in Siberia.

Smeared Ink, Now Paint.
In conversation with a Times representative on the promenade deck of the Kamo Maru, Chief Hailstorm harked back with pride to his apprenticeship in the printing trade.

"I used to smear ink, but now I smear grease paint," he said in explaining his reasons for leaving the printing business for the glamor of the stage.

During his peregrinations in Russia, Chief Hailstorm got as far as Omsk, where his theatrical tour was cut short by the Russian authorities.

The Chief is convinced that he could have amused the Omskites, but it was possible to get into their lines, but traffic was so disorganized on the trans-Siberian railroad beyond that other than that he was unable to get any further into the great Russian interior. In any event his passage was blocked by the Siberian Government, which refused to grant him a passport.

As an actor Chief Hailstorm has been prominently billed at all the larger cities in Japan, China and Siberia. His mission was to depict the life of the Cherokee Indians, and in this he succeeded with real effect.

Part of his performance is the execution of the sun dance and chanting the weird war dirges of the Cherokee tribe.

Is Very Warlike.
In his past and native costume he looks a very warlike individual. Part of his regalia consists of a "double trail war bonnet," formerly the property of his father.

This war bonnet contains ninety-seven feathers, each indicating a scalp. Other implements carried by the Chief include an eight-foot bow and arrow, tomahawk, elaborately beaded dress and moccasins. He is a sure shot with the bow and arrow, and on the pastime of piercing apples reposing on the scalp of any individual willing to take the chance.

His last performance before sailing for the Pacific coast was at Hokkaido, Japan, where he was presented with an engraved gold watch by the Japan Theatre Circuit. He has figured prominently in the "movies," being a former star with the Universal Film Company.

After visiting his native state Chief Hailstorm proposes to tour in other parts. War permitting, he will visit Europe.

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BROUGHT SOUTH MEN FROM THE POLAR BEAR

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 5.—Buffeted by fierce Behring and Pacific storms from the third day out from Nome, the steamer Valdez, Capt. J. A. Stephens, with 700 souls aboard arrived here today reporting an additional fight against Spanish influenza. William Anderson, of Nome, died of the disease at sea and three other persons died on the voyage of other causes.

Five staterooms on the port side of the steamer were saved by a raging northern storm the third day after the Victoria left Nome, October 28. Because of the influenza on board, the vessel's captain omitted a planned call at Cordova and hurried to Seattle, meeting a second storm in the Pacific.

He also had twelve members of the crew of the power schooner Polar Bear, the ship of Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Canadian explorer. They are in charge of Capt. John Hadley, of Canterbury, England, who will probably join Stefansson next month in Ottawa. Stefansson is in Ottawa to submit an official report of his Arctic explorations to the Canadian Government.

NURSE DIES AT ANYOX AFTER AIDING OTHERS

Body of Influenza Martyr is Brought Down on Prince Rupert

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 5.—With only eighty passengers aboard the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert arrived in port from Prince Rupert today with news that the "flu" is on the wane in northern centres. In Anyox, where it was very bad, the epidemic is so well over that the mining town's medical men to help the people on Alice Arm and at Stewart. At the last mentioned place the influenza carried off two of the founders of the town and the third one is very low.

FLEW TRICOLOR AT MASTHEAD IN HONOR OF FRENCH MINISTER

Ambassador M. F. Delanney and Party of Russian Officers Arrive on Kamo Maru

Flying the French tricolor at the fore-masthead in honor of the French Ambassador to Japan, who was a passenger aboard the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kamo Maru, Capt. R. Yu Wahi Zonta, reached port this morning from the Orient.

Mons. M. F. Delanney, French Minister at Tokyo, is on a hurried mission to France. Before crossing the Atlantic he will confer with the United States Cabinet at Washington.

Russian Officers.
Four Russian military officers who have been attending the Siberian army on the Volga from other also passengers by the Kamo Maru, these officers being on a mission to Canada and the United States in connection with the military operations now in progress against the German-Bolshevik forces. The officers are Col. Vladimir Lebedeff, Lieut.-Col. George Akintirsky, and Lieut. M. Poldiaeff and K. Porinirsky.

Lieut.-Col. Akintirsky stated that the party comprised a delegation from the Russian Government now established at Omsk. Having seen considerable fighting with the regular Russian army during the earlier stages of the war, they, with thousands of other officers, made their way to Siberia following the revolution which left the country in the power of the Bolsheviks.

In Samara Region.
They have since been fighting with the Czech-Slovaks in the Samara region, operating in conjunction with the Allies in Siberia. The officers are all powerfully-built men. They speak but little English, from here the party will proceed to Montreal, from which point, they expect to enter the United States.

First-class passengers disembarking here included R. G. Bell, E. J. Cooper, H. L. Cooper, C. D. Strong and R. E. Burns.

The Kamo Maru brought in fifty-eight saloon passengers, twenty second cabin and 125 steerage. Eleven first-class, two second-class and thirty-six steerage passengers came ashore here. The liner also brought in a capacity cargo of general Oriental freight, including about 1,000 tons of port wine. Capt. Shimidzu reported an uneventful voyage.

MAKURA IS DELAYED AT UNION BAY BY INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC

Vancouver, Nov. 6.—The Canadian-Australian liner Makura, Capt. Crawford, has been delayed at Union Bay, owing to the influenza epidemic on the working force at the mines and the bunkers has been cut down and there is a shortage of labor. The liner has yet received her full bunker supplies and will not arrive in Vancouver until late to-night. The passengers will go on board to-morrow, and the vessel will sail for Auckland and Sydney late to-morrow night.

CIVIL SERVANTS TO BE GRADED IN ORDER TO ADJUST SALARIES

Classification Under Civil Service Act Only Way to Get at It

Premier Oliver was not in a position this morning to say how soon an adjustment of the civil servants' wage scale would be possible. The Cabinet decided, however, to follow the policy upon which the Civil Service Act is based and to grade and classify all employees of the Government service. Whatever original basis of advancement in salary was agreed upon it is now so outgrown as to render it of no intent and purposes obsolete. That is to say there is absolutely no co-relation of scale between any two grades of salaries, and while a chief clerk in one branch of the service may be getting \$120-per-month, another Department may be paying forty dollars a month less for similar service.

To work from the present wages paid would virtually entail the necessity of deciding each individual case on its merits, a procedure that would mean a cut instead of an increase in not a few instances.

As already indicated there will be no delay in the process of grading and classifying, and Civil Service Commission Mount will at once commence this part of his task in conformity with the Civil Service Act, which commenced its operation on July 1 last.

As soon as completed it is expected that where allowances are deemed justified they will be made retroactive, although it is not possible to learn at the moment to what period would be covered under the term of "back pay."

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday of Mrs. Lillian Elles, aged thirty-three years. Born in England, she had been a resident of this district for the past five years, residing at 821 Douglas Street. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, who is now on active service, four children in this city and a mother, brothers and sisters residing in England. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, October 7, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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his widow and an infant son; one brother, John Murdoch, of 725 13th Avenue West, Vancouver, and a father in Scotland. The funeral will take place on Saturday, October 5, at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Jessie McNutt, wife of George McNutt, took place yesterday afternoon from the R. C. Funeral Chapel. The Rev. W. S. Thompson officiated both at the chapel and at Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: McCall Smith, George Monteith, Wm. Turpin, William Atkins, George Cavan and William Thompson.

At Somerton on Monday morning George West, a well-known resident of the district, passed away after a lengthy illness at the age of seventy-five years. The late Mr. West was a native of Buckinghamshire, England, and in his early life came to Canada, remaining for some time at Clinton in the Cariboo, before settling at Somerton seventeen years ago. He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. Churchill, of Harriet Road, Victoria, Mrs. Goyette, Irma Street, Victoria, and Mrs. Laymen, Charles City, Iowa, and six sons, John, of Preston; Ernest, of Boney; William, of Terrace; James, of Westport; Frederick, of Victoria; and Arthur, residing at home.

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VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST WORLD

CAMP LEWIS PLAYERS AFTER ALL HONORS

Victoria Soldiers Will Have Stronger Team to Beat Than Last Year

When the Camp Lewis soccer eleven comes to Victoria during the sports week in search of the H. H. Brown Service Cup they will be a well-trained team, thoroughly familiar with the round ball game, judging from the soccer talk emanating from the camp. The soldiers are after all the honors going in the Northwest. According to statements from across the line they apparently have a cinch on the Pacific Northwest championship for 1918 and they are bending all their efforts in the direction of handing a surprise to the undefeated Mare Island Marines. Thanksgiving in the Tacoma stadium. So far this season Camp Lewis has played three games, winning them all. In the first contest they bowled over the Portland Foundation team by a score of 21 to 0. At that time they had had comparatively little practice, but their work at the camp had put them in good physical condition, and individually they knew a lot of football. Their hardest battle of the season came when they tackled the Multnomah Club. They won the game 7 to 0, but in the last quarter Multnomah came close to scoring. Captain Van Cook, athletic officer, pointed out a lot of flaws in the work of his team, and the answer was a 21 to 6 victory over the Oregon Aggies last Saturday afternoon.

This gives the soldiers three consecutive victories. They have scored 49 points as against 6 for their opponents. The Oregon Aggies alone have the distinction of crossing the soldiers' goal line this season. Camp Lewis has a return match with Multnomah in Portland, November 16. Multnomah is digging hard to take that game, but Lewis has such a wealth of material that they do not fear an interruption in their victorious career. What team in the Pacific Northwest can hope to beat Camp Lewis this season does not appear on the surface at the present time.

ETERNAL'S LAST RACE.

Laurel, Md., Nov. 4.—Eternal has run his last race this year. He goes into retirement with six out of eight races to his credit and a victory over Billy Kelly to top it off. In the words of his owner, Jim McClelland, "Eternal will be seen under next time in the Kentucky Derby next spring—at least, that is my hope and my plan."

FINALS OF SOCCER PLAYED IN ENGLAND

Games in Midland and Lancashire Sections and London League

Results of scheduled English League football games played Saturday on the grounds of the first-named clubs:

London Combination.
Crystal Palace, 6; Clapton Orient, 1.
Arsenal, 1; Queen's Park Rangers, 0.
Chelsea, 0; Millwall Athletic, 1.
Tottenham Hotspur, 1; Fulham, 0.

Midland Section.
Birmingham, 5; Hull City, 1.
Bradford City, 1; North Forest, 0.
Grimsby Town, 0; Leeds City, 2.
Huddersfield Town, 2; Barnsley, 1.
Lincoln City, 2; Sheffield United, 1.
Stoke City, 4; Coventry, 1.
Rotherham, 1; Bradford, 0.
Sheffield Wednesday, 0; Leicester Fosse, 2.

Lancashire Section.
Blackburn Rovers, 0; Burnley, 1.
Bolton Wanderers, 2; Burnley, 1.
Everton, 1; Stoke, 1.
Manchester City, 1; Stockport County, 0.
Oldham Athletic, 1; Blackpool, 1.
Burnley Port Vale, 5; Liverpool, 2.
Preston North End, 1; Southport Central, 0.
Rochdale, 1; Manchester United, 3.

LACROSSE MAN'S DEATH.

Members of the old V. A. C. lacrosse team, Mann cupholders from 1911 until 1915, will regret to learn of the death at his home in Brampton, Ont., of Charles Mullis, a member of the Brampton team which played for the trophy in Vancouver in 1914. He passed away a few days ago, a victim of the "flu" and pneumonia. Two members of the Brampton team which came west in quest of the cup are now dead, the other one being Lieut. "Jimmy" Roberts, who gave his life in Flanders. Brampton's lacrosse team it will be recalled, gave the cupholders the closest call they experienced in Mann Cup matches.

BOXERS HAD "FLU."

Harry and Charlie Pica, the two well-known local boxers have both been victims of the Spanish influenza. Charlie had the hardest fight he ever had with the new complaint, but after a big tussle he delivered the knockout, in spite of the rumors going around that he had taken the count himself. Both the lads are now well on the way to recovery.

SOCCER GAME TO HELP NEEDY SOLDIER FAMILY

Game Between Cruisers and Fragments Will Be Exciting

Judging from the friendly spirit of rivalry existing between the sailors and the returned men, the game to be played at Oak Bay at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon should easily prove to be the most hotly contested match since this year. As the Island champions, the Cruisers are anxious to show what they can do for the credit of football on the Island, and out of thirty-eight successive matches, the sailors have only lost two games. They also hold the Fleet championship for the Pacific Coast, and have defeated the "Oranby," "Avoca," "Orion" and "Chaco." The first defeat the sailors ever had was handed out to them in Victoria about three years ago by a team playing as Sir John Jackson's team, although it is declared that there were several of the star players of the city called in to help the local club who had not been playing regularly on the side. Among a number of trophies the men of the Cruisers hold the "Pen" championship cup, and claim to have twice beaten the champions of Chill.

Keep Crowd Moving.

To meet the health regulations, the crowd will be kept moving while the game is on, and a number of stunts are being looked forward to. The sailor and soldier supporters are expected on hand, and there is talk of a snake and blue lined up alternately at the beginning of the game to convey the "keep-moving" idea from the outset. It is arranged that the returned men will also have their hand on the game, and the Foundation Company also will be asked to supply a band for the occasion.

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SEATTLE GOLF CLUB MAKES BIG CHANGES

Seattle, Nov. 6.—Amending the articles of incorporation that have stood in it in good for almost a score of years, the Seattle Golf Club has made a radical change in its membership status. The change means that the limited membership of 400 instead of merely a certificate showing such membership status. The change means that the limited membership of 400 instead of merely a certificate showing such membership status. The change means that the limited membership of 400 instead of merely a certificate showing such membership status.

The amendment to the articles of incorporation was the draft of E. S. McCord, the retiring President, and it was championed by Vice-President Josiah Collins, Secretary-Treasurer E. Shorrock and others, with several of the older members of the club holding out for a continuation of the original articles on which the club had been conducted for the last two decades.

Probably the feature of the amendment that caused its acceptance was the supplemental membership provision incorporated in the change. This provides for a playing, but non-voting membership. The numerical strength of the supplemental membership shall be determined by a by-law enactment, with the trustees passing on these applications for membership as they come on the disposal of the stock membership.

BALL STARS IN SERVICE.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 6.—Two more diamond stars of the Detroit American League Club are about to go into war work either on the firing line or well back behind the trenches. Jim ("Deacon") McGuire, who was twice connected with the local club, and a catcher and later as a coach and scout, is understood to have been waiting a call from the Knights of Columbus for service overseas. McGuire is well beyond the draft age and consequently ineligible for active fighting service. He has a keen desire to take some part in the world-war, however, according to his friends here.

"Wild Bill" Donovan, for years pitching idol of Detroit fans, and last season assistant to Hugh Jennings, is the other Detroit star slated for overseas service. It was at first understood Donovan would also become connected with the Knights of Columbus overseas organization, but now it is reported he had succeeded in enlisting in the navy. No direct word has been received from Donovan himself, however.

Jennings and Bill Coughlin, another former Tiger player, already have joined forces with the Knights of Columbus.

ATHLETE WOUNDED HAS LOST HIS RIGHT LEG

Gunner Clarence Wilbur Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dawson, 117 St. Andrew's Street, who was wounded on September 11 and has since been lying dangerously ill at a base hospital, suffered the amputation of his right leg on October 10. The information was received by his parents yesterday that he is out of danger. The young soldier, who is not yet twenty-one, left Victoria in May, 1916, with the 62nd Battery. He was a student of Victoria High School, prominent in school athletics and for several months before leaving for overseas was a member of the staff of the Merchants' Bank.

There was a boy of nine years, a girl seventeen and a man of twenty-nine in the Grand American Traps shooting handicap. Truly the sport for all ages.

FANS WANT WILLARD BARRED FROM SPORT

In England or Australia He Would Have to Enter Ring, Critics Say

New York, Nov. 6.—All New York papers are bitter in their criticism of the great war charity sport drive, insist that Willard should at once announce his retirement from the ring, turn the heavyweight championship over to Jack Dempsey and devote the rest of his life to business ventures. Willard's unwillingness to box Dempsey in Madison Square Garden in aid of the United States War Fund campaign is taken to mean that he never will risk his title again. The gigantic champion telegraphed James J. Corbett yesterday that he would not box in this city, but would take part in exhibition contests down in Texas. Presumably Willard, if Corbett accepts this proposition, will select the opponents for the "exhibitions." But it is safe to say that Dempsey will not be one of them.

The New York Sun in a scathing arraignment of the champion today says that if boxing was governed in this country as it is in England and Australia Willard would not be allowed to remain long out of the ring and retain his title.

NEW QUARTERS WILL BE OPEN TO SERVICE MEN

V. I. A. Will Take Over Hall Formerly Used by Old Victoria Club

The club, which was formerly occupied by the Old Victoria Athletic Club on Broad Street, between Government Street and Yates Street, has been taken over by the Victoria Island Athletic Association for staging indoor sports. In former days the big sports hall was the rendezvous of the boxing men, and a comprehensive collection of training equipment was installed, including medicine bags, punching balls and dummies and nearly everything a fighter desires to get himself in ring condition. A basketball court is already marked out, which it is claimed is one of the best in the city, and may be brought into use for the city competitions. The V. I. A. has a number of basketball players who have been anxious for some time for practice quarters. A handball court is also to be mapped out.

The quarters will be thrown open to army and navy men at days to be announced, and it is the intention of the Association to give the service men an opportunity to train at the new quarters, especially those desiring to get themselves in shape to climb through the ropes.

BIG COLLEGE GAME IS NOW UP IN THE AIR

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—When everything seemed all settled for California and Stanford to resume football relations next Thanksgiving Day a large-sized monkeywrench was tossed into the arrangements. Now everything is breaking and going to pieces. There is a radical change in feeling either at Stanford or at California. There will be no "big game" after all. It seems that in the negotiations Capt. Parker, of Stanford, was talking about one thing and the students of California were talking about something entirely different and there will be no game unless they get together pretty pronto.

Capt. Parker wants to play one military campaign against the other, California wants to play one university against the other. There is the nub of the situation.

GETS BIG LEAGUE CHANCE.

Tom Lukonavic, former right hand flinger of the Vancouver Beavers, is to get a chance in the big show when the majors resume operations after the war. In a letter to President Bob Brown, of the Vancouver Club, Lukonavic states that he has accepted the terms offered by one of the St. Louis Club and has returned the signed contract to headquarters. He does not state whether it is the St. Louis Club or the St. Louis Americans with which he has signed, but it is altogether likely that the Browns have secured his services as the club formerly handled by Fielder Jones has been following the performance of the youngster in the minors during the past few years.

RUGBY MAN TRANSFERS.

Dunn, of the Foundation Company, has transferred to the V. I. A. team, and will hereafter appear in the forward line for the Victoria and Island Club. Dunn is a speedy player and a clever handler whom the V. I. men will welcome as an acquisition to their side. He has been playing the handling game for some time, and knows it thoroughly. He used to play here on the old Welsh team.

WILL PLAY FOR FOUNDATION.

Craig, who has been filling the inside left position in the Fragments from France eleven, has transferred to the Foundation Company, and will henceforth help the shipyard workers in the league engagements. Gammann, who returned about three weeks ago, has been registered by the Fragments and has already shown that he is worth a permanent place as back.

NOTED SOCCER MAN DEAD.

London, Nov. 6.—W. D. Phillips, a founder of the Cardiff Football Club, died last night aged sixty-two. He played for Wales against England in 1881, and for sixteen years he was Vice-President of the Welsh Football Union.

WOULD SET ON DEMPEY.

If Willard is anxious to wager money on the result of a bout with Dempsey, he will be accompanied by Jim Corbett, the California promoter, who says he will bet \$5,000 on Dempsey to win the title.

RAILWAY COMPANY HAS NO TITLE TO FORESHORE RIGHT

Court of Appeal at Vancouver Renders Important Decision in Case Tried Here.

DECISION AFFECTS RICH DEPOSITS ON ISLAND

One of the most interesting cases ever tried in British Columbia Courts was disposed of by the Court of Appeal in Vancouver yesterday when judgment was handed down in favor of H. W. Treat in the case of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway vs. Treat. The point at issue was the question as to who was entitled to the mineral rights under the foreshore of the E. & N. land belt, which extends over nearly half the east coast of Vancouver Island from the vicinity of Seymour Narrows right down the coast as far as Saanich Inlet.

In the year 1882 the Provincial Government conveyed to the Dominion Government the land to be granted the railway company in connection with the proposed railway. The purpose was that during the construction of the railway the Dominion should act as Trustee and administer the lands, with the privilege of selling plots to bona fide settlers at \$1 an acre, the money to be turned over to the railway company on completion of the road.

Control of Foreshore Rights. When the Dominion Government came to transfer this land to the company it also assumed to transfer the foreshore lands and the mineral rights under them, "in so far as they were vested in the Dominion." It is claimed, of course, that these were never vested in the Dominion, and therefore it had nothing to transfer.

The Defendant Treat and his associates stated some claims in the Esquimalt District at the mouth of the river, bordering on the shore at high water mark, and obtained licenses from the Provincial Government. The Railway Company protested to the Minister against the issue of these licenses, and the protest was disallowed.

The Company then proceeded, in the Court to declare Treat and his associates trespassers, but Mr. Justice, Clement at the trial dismissed the claim. The Company appealed then to the Court of Appeal, and the case was heard at the last sitting of that Court in Victoria and judgment was reserved.

The Court of Appeal sat in Vancouver yesterday for the purpose of handing down judgments when a decision was given in favor of Treat, which means that the decision also favors a number of other stakers of mineral rights under the foreshore of the East Coast of the Island, within the E. & N. land grant.

As the location in question covers one of the richest coal mining areas on the Island it will readily be seen with what keen interest the progress of this case has been watched by the numerous parties interested, and of what importance the decision is.

Oscar Bues, of Victoria, appeared for Treat, and E. P. Davis, K. C., of Vancouver, and H. E. Robertson, of Victoria, for the Railway Company.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR ATLANTIC PATROL MEN

Ladies of Navy League Busily Packing Good Things for Sailors

While the epidemic has had the effect of preventing the holding of meetings, its sinister fingers have in no wise hindered the preparation of Christmas parcels for the men who are saving the Empire. One of the busiest spots in the city for some days past has been the headquarters of the Navy League in the Union Bank Building.

Here a small band of energetic members of the Sailors' Comforts Committee of the Navy League of Canada, under the direction of the convener, Mrs. A. Thomson, have been preparing for a number of parcels which at Christmas will gladden the hearts of the British Columbia men serving in the Atlantic patrol. Each parcel contains an abundance of good things including an individual plum pudding, a large piece of fruit cake, chocolate, a corn cob pipe, tobacco or cigarettes, a packet of figs, a tin of peanut butter, potted meat, and last-but not least the odd corners are filled in with a goodly handful of mixed nuts.

A pleasing little souvenir in the shape of a photo-postcard showing the Connaught Seamen's Institute or the Sailors' Home at Esquimalt is also included in each package, and will doubtless revive in many of the recipients memories of pleasant hours spent in this port.

These items of good cheer are packed in individual cardboard boxes about eight inches square and of similar depth, and these in turn are again packed in large wooden cases, each capable of taking twenty-four parcels. As far as possible the parcels are addressed to individual sailors where the address is known. Three cases are already packed ready for shipment to H. M. C. S. Shearwater, while those for the Rainbow, are in course of preparation. As far as is known about one thousand British Columbia boys are serving in the Atlantic patrol and in the submarines, and the committee hopes to send each of these sailors a Christmas package.

In order to reach the men in time shipment will have to be made by November 11, and the committee hope that a generous public will contribute more gifts as soon as possible to this splendid cause. It is a memorable fact that this undertaking by the Navy League is the first concerted effort made in Victoria since the war to send Christmas gifts to the men of the navy, and it is hoped that those who have not yet contributed will respond generously to the appeal for this early recognition of the untiring watch kept by "those who go down to the sea in ships."

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NOW GOVERNMENT OF NEW ZEALAND MAKES BONDS COMPULSORY

Dominion Can Force Its Citizens to Invest to the Limit

How the Government of New Zealand can force the people of the Dominion to invest in its war loans is described in papers brought here on steamers arriving from the Antipodes. The measure to secure a full investment in the loan are drastic and non-compliance is punishable by severe penalties. It was thought for a time during the latest war loan drive that Australia might be obliged to adopt some similar measure, but such action does not appear to have been necessary.

Powers of Government.

The New Zealand measure was introduced in April of the present year, and the compulsory clause reads as follows: "If the Commissioner of Taxes has reason to believe that any person (including a company or other body corporate) has not subscribed in due proportion to his means to the loan authorized to be raised, he may, by direction of the Minister of Finance, by notice in writing, call upon that person to subscribe to that loan, within such time or times as may be specified, such amount as may be specified."

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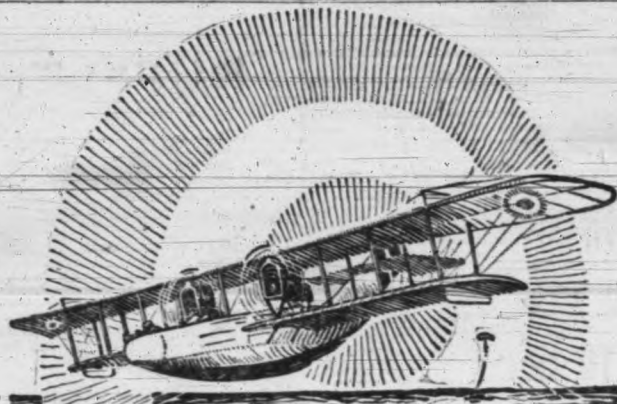
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Funeral services from the Thomson
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ELLIS—On the 4th inst., at the Royal
Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Lillian Ellis,
aged 32 years; born in England, a
resident of this city for the past two
years; late residence, 831 Douglas St.
She leaves to mourn her loss, besides
her husband, who is now on active
service, four children of this city, a
mother, brothers and sisters in Eng-
land.

The funeral will take place on Thurs-
day, the 7th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the
Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment Ross
Bay Cemetery.

MURDOCH—On November 6, at St.
Joseph's Hospital, Robert Watson
Murdoch, aged 35 years; born in Glas-
gow, Scotland, and a resident of this
city for the past eleven years, late
residence, 1277 Walnut Street. Deceased
leaves to mourn his loss, besides
his widow, an infant son, in this
city, one brother, John Murdoch, of
Vancouver, and his father in Scot-
land.

The funeral will take place on Satur-
day, November 9, at 2 o'clock, from the
Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be
made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

JENKINS—At 858 Fleming Street, the
infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W.
Jenkins, aged 1 year and 10 days.
The funeral will take place at 3 p. m.
to-morrow from B. C. Funeral Chapel.
Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

124, 129, 143, 147, 155, 184, 171, 220, 253,
254, 256, 259, 268, 275, 286, 299, 334, 353,
353, 395, 411, 415, 425, 1970, 1986, 1998,
4762, 4763, 4767, 4958, 4910.

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FISHERMAN WRECKED OFF GREEN ISLAND

Seattle, Nov. 6.—Eleven men, com-
prising the crew of the fishing vessel
Iliwaco, driven on to a reef off Green
Island, in British Columbia waters,
to-day were rescued by the Alaska
passenger steamer Humboldt. The
Iliwaco was being broken up by gale
when the steamer from the Humboldt
reached the reef after battling through
heavy seas.

The Iliwaco and Humboldt were both
bound south from Alaska points. The
fishing vessel was en route for Ever-
ett, Wash., with its season's catch
when a gale drove it onto the rocks.

The Humboldt sighted the stranded
Iliwaco last night. At that time the
seas were running too heavy for small
boats, so the passenger ship stood by
thirteen hours until the gale subsided
enough to permit the boats to venture
forth.

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Munich Paper Says Kaiser's Abdication an Imminent Event

Zurich, Nov. 6.—Kaiser Wilhelm's
abdication has become imminent, ac-
cording to information received from
Berlin by The Munich Post. The
newspaper says that serious difficul-
ties have arisen between the Kaiser
and Berlin Governments, and adds:
"The Hohenzollerns and the military
party would be making a mistake to
play with fire, for the people are by no
means inclined to remain passive."

CZECHO-SLOVAKS FORM A REPUBLIC

Kramarz First President; Par-
liament Will Sit at
Prague Soon

Geneva, Nov. 6.—A new republic
came into being when the conference
here of Czecho-Slovak leaders ended
yesterday. Dr. Kramarz, former
leader of the Hungarian Czecho party,
who spent several years in prison on a
charge of treason, being released in
July, 1917, was chosen first President
of the new republic.

A majority of the delegates left to-
day for Prague, where a Czecho-Slovak
national Parliament will be formed at
once.

The Czecho-Slovak Government, a
Vienna dispatch says, has placed in
circulation new stamps bearing the de-
sign of the lion of Bohemia.

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CIVIL SERVANTS WANT AN ANSWER

Write to Ottawa Government
Regarding Their War Bonus
Request

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—A definite reply as
to what the Government proposes to
do regarding the war bonus for civil
servants has been asked for to-day in
a letter from the officers of the Civil
Service Federation of Canada.

While the letter is not exactly in the
shape of an ultimatum, the inference
is given that there may be trouble in
the service unless an immediate reply
is received.

"If the answer is not that the bonus
is ineffective—everyone admits, that
Minister is asked for a pronouncement
on the Government's policy as to the
appointment of a board of arbitration
and conciliation."

"There is practically certain to be an
explosion unless an answer to the let-
ter is received," said President
Grieson.

"It is not what we will do, but what
we can not do," said Secretary Purling.
"The west is likely to take the matter
out of our hands and start trouble any
time."

Weakens Digestion Harms the Lungs

The Effects of Catarrh Are Ruin-
ous to Almost Every Organ
in the Body.

An Efficient Remedy to Cure You
at Home is Now in Reach of All

It is well-known the stomach dosing
is ineffective—everyone admits, that
troches, sprays, ointments, and washes
never did and never will cure a real
case of Catarrh. How can they when
they don't reach the root of the trouble.

It is really impossible to treat Cat-
arrh, unless by inhaling the soothing
germ-killing vapor of Catarrhazone.
Its rich fragrant essences are breathed
through the inhaler 25 very well ad-
justed spots in the breathing organs. Not
a single germ can escape the healing
fumes of Catarrhazone which acts on
the infected linings of the nose and
throat just as an ointment would act
on a cut finger. You see Catarrhazone
soothes, cleanses, heals. It can not
fail to reach and cure Catarrh; it
is simply a wonder on weak throats,
bronchial coughs, deafness, buzzing
ears, and all other symptoms of Cat-
arrh cold.

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AMERICAN HOUSE NOW REPUBLICAN

Returns Still Unreported Leave
Complexion of Senate
in Doubt

New York, Nov. 6.—The next House
of Representatives will be Republican
on the face of the latest returns. The
political complexion of the Senate is
still in doubt.

To the House 219 Republicans ap-
parently have been elected and 133
Democrats, together with one Social-
ist and one Independent. Definite re-
turns from thirty-one districts are still
missing or in doubt. The 219 Republi-
cans constitute a majority of the
House, which has 435 seats.

The latest Senate figures are so close
that probably not until all the returns
are in from seven doubtful states can it
be determined whether the Republi-
cans will have control.

The Democrats, according to avail-
able returns this afternoon, have forty-five
seats in the Senate and the Republi-
cans forty-four. No definite results
have been announced on the contests
in Michigan, Montana, Nevada, New
Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon and West
Virginia, but the indications seem to
favor the Republicans in four of these
states, and the Democrats in three.

Republican Senatorial candidates
won seats now held by Democrats in
Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois,
Kansas, Missouri and New Hampshire.
The Democrats succeeded in winning
one seat formerly held by the Republi-
cans, in Massachusetts.

Republican Claim.

New York, Nov. 6.—Republican na-
tional headquarters issued a statement
early this afternoon claiming a major-
ity of at least five and possibly six in
the United States Senate.

New York.

New York, Nov. 6.—The next Con-
gressional delegation from New York
will be made up of twenty-three Dem-
ocrats and nineteen Republicans.

Washington.

Seattle, Nov. 6.—Washington's next
delegation to the lower House of Con-
gress will be solidly Republican, re-
turns early to-day showed.

Eastern Washington reports indi-
cated the state's one Democratic rep-
resentative, C. C. Dill, was defeated by
J. Stanley Weber, former State Sup-
reme Justice.

Western Washington elected its
three Republican Congressmen, J. F.
Miller, L. H. Hadley and Captain Al-
bert Johnson.

Southeastern Washington, according
to returns received here, elected Dr.
John F. Sumner, Congressman from
the seat now held by Congressman W. L.
Lafollette.

In Seattle the proposal to call a con-
stitutional convention to amend the
complete returns were obtainable from
the state at large.

Speaker Clark.

New York, Nov. 6.—Some well-
known figures in public life will be
retired or at least have close shaves
as a result of yesterday's voting.

Prominent among them are Speaker
Champ Clark of the House of Repre-
sentatives, who last night was reported
defeated by 409 votes, and Senator
Charles McNary of the Senate, who was
running very close to his opponent.

Senator Weeks, the junior Republican
Senator of Massachusetts, defeated by
former Governor Walsh, Democratic
candidate; Senator Lewis of Illinois,
the Democratic incumbent, defeated by
Rep. Medill McCormick, Chicago.

Senator Saulsbury, of Delaware,
President pro tem of the Senate, de-
feated by former Senator Ball, Republi-
can, and Rep. Shirley, Democrat, of
Kentucky, chairman of the Appropri-
ations Committee, is having a close
race.

With the results incomplete, Henry
Ford was running behind Truman
Newberry, former Assistant Secretary
of the Navy, his Republican opponent
for the Senate in Michigan.

J. W. Folk, former Governor of Mis-
souri and former Chief Counsel for the
Interstate Commerce Commission, run-
ning for Senator to succeed Sen. John
Spencer, the Republican nominee.

California.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Returns
early to-day from every section of the
state, but with a great majority of the
state's 6191 precincts still uncompleted,
have thus far indicated a victory for
yesterday's election.

For Governor, with 347 complete and
1,195 complete precincts—William D.
Stephens, Republican, 50,703; Theo A.
Belt, Independent, 30,347.

For Lieutenant Governor, with 183 com-
plete and 937 incomplete—Yes, 13,907; no,
19,221.

Prohibition amendment, with 186
complete and 1,018 incomplete precincts
—Yes, 18,298; no, 15,101.

Oregon.

Portland, Nov. 6.—Re-election of
Governor James McEwen, Republi-
can, at election of Senator Arthur
L. McNary, Republican, to the United
States Senatorship for the long term
seemed certain to-day on the basis of
scattered returns from all parts of
Oregon.

Representatives McArthur
and McNary were well ahead and the
Republican state ticket as a whole
probably was elected. Representative
Hawley, Republican, was returned a
victor with little opposition.

Senator McNary's lead over ex-
Governor McEwen in Multnomah County
was 100 votes to 90, while in Clatsop
and Clatsop elsewhere in the state in-
dicated that McNary's majority might
reach 20,000.

Governor McEwen's majority over
Walter M. Pierce, Democrat, was
estimated at 18,000.

The state yesterday definitely put
itself in the "bone dry" line by approv-
ing a prohibition amendment passed
by the last Legislature.

Prohibition.

New York, Nov. 6.—Returns early
to-day from various states which
voted yesterday on prohibition follow-
ing Missouri's state-wide prohibi-
tion amendment probably was defeat-
ed. St. Louis rolled up 75,000 major-
ity for the "wet" side, while the rest of
the state went heavily "dry." It did
not overcome the St. Louis lead.

Whether Ohio has changed from the
"wet" to the "dry" column of states
remains in doubt, with the wet lead-
ing by more than 31,000 votes with more
than three-fifths of the precincts hav-
ing been tabulated. With the excep-
tion, however, of a few precincts, all
of the wet strongholds have been heard
from and dry leaders still contended
that returns from the rural districts
will wipe out what they say is a tem-
porary lead.

In Minnesota latest returns gave the

Col. E. A. Stanton is Made Governor of Northern Palestine

London, Nov. 6.—Colonel E. A. Stan-
ton, who saw much service in Egyptian
campaigns and was eight years
Governor of Kraihmout, will be Mil-
itary Governor of Northern Palestine.
He was military secretary to the Duke
of Connaught in Canada, and in Lon-
don occupied a position in the Min-
istry of Pensions.

amendment 18,233 votes and 16,366 op-
posed to it.

In California the defeat of a "bone-
dry" liquor amendment to the state
constitution as well as a milder amend-
ment to regulate liquor traffic is in-
dicated.

Vermont.

In Vermont the probable ratification
of the proposed federal prohibition
amendment was indicated, as sixteen of
the Senators and ninety-two members
of the lower House are counted as in
favor of prohibition. Forty-four mem-
bers are reported to be opposed to ratifi-
cation and the attitude of the others
is not given.

The "wets" were victorious in six out
of ten communities in Southern New
York that voted on the liquor ques-
tion to 2 p. m. to-day. At that time both
Republicans and the Democrats were
claiming a majority in the Senate.
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possibly a tie, in which event Vice-
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2 p. m. The Democrats had seated
forty-five on the face of the returns
up to that time, and the Republicans
a similar number. Reports from six
of the contests were incomplete, with
the returns favoring three Republi-
cans and three Democrats.

Up to 3 p. m.

New York, Nov. 6.—The Republi-
cans have reversed the Democratic
control of the House of Representatives
on the face of incomplete returns up
to 3 p. m. to-day. At that time both
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**LOWER RATE ASKED
ON SHELL STEEL**

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—There was a clash
between the Board of Railway Commis-
sioners yesterday between the Im-
perial Munitions Board and the rail-
ways over the rate charged by the rail-
ways on steel bars from which shells
are made. There is a heavy movement
of this steel, more particularly be-
tween Sault Ste. Marie and Montreal, Sault
Ste. Marie and Toronto.

The Munitions Board claimed that
the railways are charging 2 1/2 cents
more for shell bars than for com-
mercial bars, and asked for a bill of
materiality of steel bars in Canada the
same as now in effect in international
traffic.

Representatives of the railways
did not deny that a higher rate is be-
ing charged on shell bars than for steel
ingots, but justified the charge on the
ground that shell bars call for a
higher classification because before
being used they have gone through two
additional stages of manufacture.

The Board rendered judgment in the
matter.

**OTTAWA SESSION MAY
BEGIN IN JANUARY**

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—That Parliament is
almost certain to meet in January or
February, at the latest, no matter
what the developments in regard to
peace, is actually signed is obvious be-
cause in the best informed circles in
the capital. The desirability of Parli-
ament meeting before a treaty of
peace is actually signed is obvious be-
cause of the number of matters which
have to be dealt with under the War
Measures Act.

Nothing definite has transpired at
the capital in regard to Cabinet re-
construction despite the many reports
to the contrary. It can be stated
definitely that this matter has not as
yet engaged the attention of the Prime
Minister.

**LOAN REPORTS FROM
UP-ISLAND CENTRES**

The following reports have been
received from the up-island Vic-
tory Loan centres, but full returns
have not yet arrived:

Shawinigan \$ 8,100
Cobalt Hill 12,950
Duncan 112,050
Cheminus 23,550
Ladysmith 26,400
Parkville, Qualicum, Central
Alberni 8,000
Union Bay 6,900
Courtenay 32,000
Cumberland 66,000
Alberni 14,000
West Coast 25,500
Cassidy 32,500
Nanose 16,000

Total \$491,700
Centres which have qualified for
Honour Flags.

It is evident, from these figures,
that the outside points have so far
raised half their \$1,000,000 quota.

LOAN IN VANCOUVER.

Yesterday \$412,100 additional
was invested in the Victory
Loan in Vancouver, where the
total subscriptions now reach
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TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Nov. 6.—Offerings of all
grades were very light on the market to-
day. Oats closed 1 1/2 cents higher for
December. Barley closed 2 1/2 cents
higher for December. Flax closed 3 1/2
cents higher for November and Decem-
ber 3 1/2 cents higher.

Oats—Open, High, Low, Close.
Dec. 78 1/2 80 1/2 78 1/2 80
Barley—
Dec. 107 1/2 108 1/2 107 1/2 108 1/2
Flax—
Nov. 352 359 352 360
Dec. 341 351 341 351
Cash prices: Oats—No. 2 C. W. 83; 3
C. W. 80; extra 1 feed, 82; 1 feed, 79; 2
feed, 75.
Barley—2 C. W. 107 1/2; 4 C. W. 102 1/2;
rejected, 94 1/2; feed, 93 1/2.
Flax—1 N. W. C. 360 1/2; 2 C. W. 357 1/2.

General Advance % % %
**1,000 TAKEN WHEN
LE QUESNOY FELL**

British Pushed on Beyond
Town and Germans Had
to Surrender

With the Allied Armies in France
and Belgium, Nov. 5.—Via London.
Nov. 6.—The fighting yesterday cen-
tered around the walled town of Le
Quesnoy and in and around the great
Mormal Forest, a stronghold of the
enemy. Early in the day the British
pushed their lines forward on either
side of Le Quesnoy, and it was plainly
seen that its fall was a matter of only
a few hours.

In order to avoid fighting in the
place, the British during the morning
sent an aeroplane message to the de-
fenders demanding their surrender.
This message was ignored and the bat-
tle continued. Later it was reported
that two captured German officers, ac-
companied by two New Zealand sol-
diers, entered Le Quesnoy and again
demanded its surrender, but the Gar-
rison refused. After that the British
left a small body of troops around the
town and pushed on to leaving it behind
their lines. When nightfall came the
Germans, realizing the hopelessness of
their case, surrendered. About 1,000
of the enemy were made prisoners.

Advanced Rapidly.

Within the neighboring forest of
Mormal the British pushed forward
rapidly in spite of many machine gun
nests. By evening the British had
worked half-way through the wood and
this morning continued their advance.

The country south of the forest was
admirable for the German defence, be-
cause the enemy had the Sambre Canal
and several small streams behind
which he could make a stand. This
advantage was partially offset by the
presence throughout the region of
hundreds of farm fences, which offered
excellent screens for bringing up pon-
toon bridges. These pontoons were
worked forward close to the line on
Sunday and were ready for instant use
when the advance began.

The town of Catillon, on the western
side of the Sambre Canal, offered con-
siderable resistance, but the place was
captured at an early hour. With this
town as a footing, the British got some
pontoons across the canal.

As the day wore on the enemy's re-
sistance weakened along the Mormal
Forest sector. The Germans had not
expected an attack on such a big scale
and were not prepared to withstand it.

Landreies was protected by the
canal and a flooded area to the north
because it was necessary to outflank the
place.

East of Valenciennes.

The fighting due east of Valenciennes
was not heavy. Enemy forces began
on Sunday night to withdraw toward
the Annelle River and the British
troops pushed forward rapidly over
the evacuated ground. South of Rom-
bly, however, German machine gun-
ners resisted strongly, especially on
the high ground east of Sebourg,
where the British gained a footing, but
were driven back by a desperate counter-
attack.

The First British Army was opposed
by seven German divisions, with two
in reserve, along the Valenciennes sec-
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 edly on a window-pane. The doctor
 called his man-servant.
 "Do me the kindness," said he, "to
 open the window and put that fly out-
 side."
 "But, sir," said the servant, who
 thought of the drenching the room
 might get through an open casement,
 "it is raining hard outside."
 "Oh, is it?" exclaimed the doctor.
 "Then please put the little creature in
 the waiting room and let him stay
 there until the weather clears!"—Tit-
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UP HER THREE "BOYS"

Determined to Play the Game
 Here as They Were
 "Over There"

She had given two sons and her hus-
 band, and now she gave her last dollar
 to back them up in their fight in
 fields of Europe.

This, in brief, was the sacrifice of a
 little woman of the Willows district
 who, in spite of all she had already
 undergone, would not turn a deaf ear
 to the solicitations of a Victory Loan
 canvasser.

It was with little hope of making a
 sale that William Murphy entered a
 little box of a house in the eastern
 part of the city, and when his knock
 was answered a little woman with a
 small girl clinging shyly to her apron,
 he did not even like to broach the sub-
 ject of bonds.

Her Three Boys.

A quick solution to this dilemma.

however, was brought about by the
 woman herself who asked her visitor
 to step inside. She said she would get
 pen and ink to fill out an application
 for Victory Bonds, having seen the
 canvasser's button on Mr. Murphy's
 lapel.

While the woman was out of the
 little parlor the canvasser had an op-
 portunity of viewing the photographs
 of two youths and a man of middle age,
 all three in uniform. They were good-
 looking boys, and their mother's cheer-
 ful smile was reflected in their laugh-
 ing faces.

"Those are my three soldier boys,"
 said the little mother when she return-
 ed, "and I'm going to buy a bond for
 each of them. I know they will be
 happy when they hear." The applica-
 tion was soon filled out, the woman
 and her little daughter, the only child
 the war had left her, looking eagerly
 over the canvasser's shoulder as the
 necessary statements were inserted.

Her Three Bonds.

"Three bonds for my three boys over
 there," said the little woman, "will
 mean the spending of nearly all the
 money I have; but I know they will be
 pleased, and it will help to start them
 once more when they come home!"

She Was British.

Just as the canvasser was passing
 through the gate the little mother
 called him back. He turned to see her
 standing with the tears streaming
 down her face, but with a smile still
 playing on her lips.

"I won't ask them," she said, "I'm
 British and I will stick by them, my
 boys. I was not playing the game to
 take only three bonds, I can manage

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four, I think, and I will, though it will
 be hard."

The fourth bond which the little
 mother planned to present to the "boy"
 who gave her the biggest hug when he
 returned, was then arranged for. She
 had stood by her "boys."

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 gaged for a week to-day."

Bertie—"What a memory you've got,
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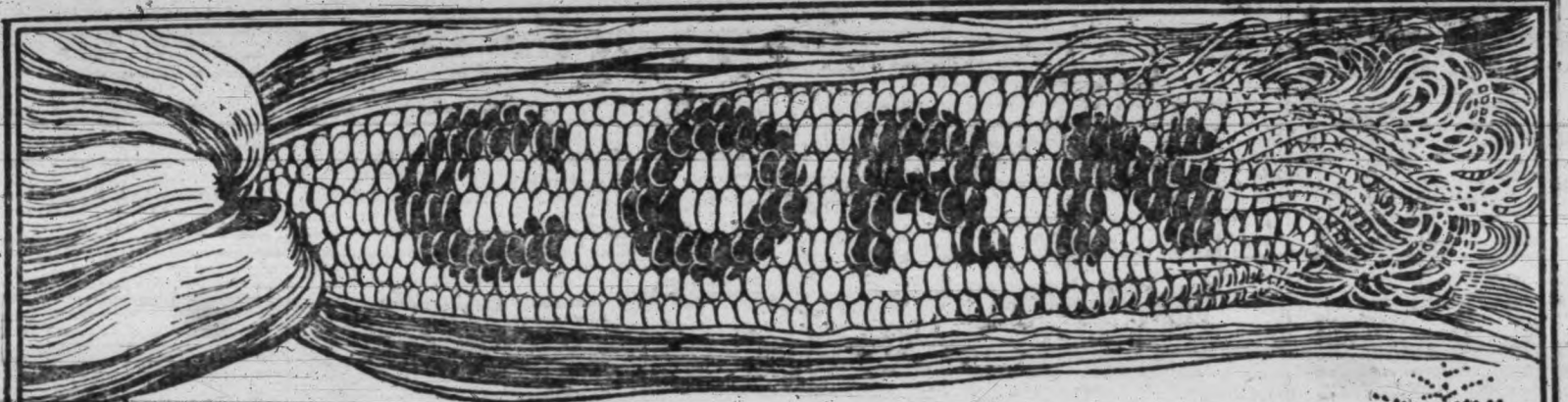
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"The death occurred in Port Alberni
 on November 1 of Joshua L. Hill, a
 well-known resident of this city, and
 also well-known in Victoria. He was
 a veteran of the Great War, having
 left for overseas with the 30th Battal-
 ion, and was also a veteran of the

South African war. He was forty-
 four years of age, and is survived by
 his wife, and one son. The funeral took
 place on Sunday from Forrest's under-
 taking rooms, and was attended by a
 large crowd, about twenty returned
 soldiers following the remains to their
 last resting place in the Alberni
 cemetery. The pall-bearers were:
 Mayor A. D. MacIntyre, Ald. E. Eaton,
 Joseph Drinkwater, H. M. Ellis, Alex.
 McCurrach and S. Fry."

Do Not Worry If You
Cannot Get Sugar

You do not have to forego sweet things because of the
 present shortage of sugar. Corn Syrup is available, and for years
 has been available, as a perfect alternative for sugar for cooking,
 in puddings and preserves, in the making of desserts, and on cereals.

People didn't recognize this fact while sugar was cheap and
 plentiful. Now they are hailing the discovery with delighted
 surprise.

Buy Crown Brand or Lily White Corn Syrup from your
 grocer. They are wholesome, delicious and nourishing—true
 products of the Corn—and, you will soon find, most economical,
 too.

CROWN BRAND
AND
LILY WHITE
CORN SYRUP

And the use of Corn Syrup instead of Sugar is a War-Service
 to-day! The carrying of raw sugar on the ocean has meant a
 huge loss of life and tonnage. It takes ships that are sorely
 needed to carry troops and supplies.

Corn is grown on this continent and the syrup is manufac-
 tured right here in Canada.

Write to the Canada Food Board,
 Ottawa, for a booklet of recipes in
 which Corn Syrup takes the place of
 Sugar. The authorities heartily
 approve of this movement to conserve
 Sugar.

Sold by Grocers everywhere
 in 2, 5, 10 and 20 lb. tins.



THE CANADA STARCH CO., LIMITED,
 MONTREAL.

SOLVING THE NATION'S
FOOTWEAR PROBLEM

Ames Holden-McCready Com-
 pany Use Advertising
 for New Purposes

A soldier in active service requires
 eight times as many shoes as he
 does in civilian life. And every sol-
 dier who joins the colors helps to re-
 duce the supply of labor which is
 available for the manufacture of
 essential products—shoes included.
 The materials from which shoes are
 made are scarce, and are growing
 scarcer. Canada always has de-
 pended for its supply of leather to a
 large extent upon the United States.
 But the United States is confronting
 a similar problem of its own, and im-
 portations are entirely shut off. Can-
 ada is forced to depend upon its own
 limited production of leather.

Canada's shoe problem, then, is to
 produce more shoes than ever before,
 with less labor and less materials. And
 it is considerably to the credit of the
 Canadian shoe industry that it has
 thus far succeeded in solving that
 problem without the necessity of gov-
 ernmental regulations and restrictions,
 such as have been put into effect in
 the United States.

One of the most interesting develop-
 ments of the situation is the use that
 is being made of advertising to inform
 the general public as to actual condi-
 tions, and to lead them to buy wisely,
 so as to help relieve the situation in-
 stead of intensifying it. The advertise-
 ments of Ames Holden-McCready Lim-
 ited, the largest shoe manufacturers in
 the Dominion, which are now running in
 The Times, are a case in point.

Left in Ignorance.

In times past, the consuming public
 were left pretty much in the dark con-
 cerning such matters as these. A prob-
 lem concerning the supply of an es-
 sential product, such as shoes, would
 have been regarded as wholly belong-
 ing to the trade, and as "none of the
 public's business." Hence, the public
 would have been left to act blindly,
 and to make conditions worse instead
 of better.

That is not the modern business
 spirit, however. The business men
 of to-day have learned to use the great
 power of advertising, not merely to
 sell his goods for him, but to influence
 the public to act in accordance with
 the general welfare.

Civilian Needs.

At the present time it is somewhat
 difficult to provide enough serviceable
 shoes to go around among the civilian
 population, and at the same time to
 supply Canada's quota of army shoes.
 The public can help to relieve the situ-
 ation if they buy prudently. They
 will make matters worse if they buy
 carelessly. "Very, well, then," says the
 leading Canadian manufacturer, "we
 will tell them how to buy wisely, and
 tell them why they ought to do it."

These Ames Holden-McCready ad-
 vertisements are a conspicuous ex-
 ample of the modern force of adver-
 tising as applied to fundamental busi-
 ness and social problems.

Telling the Public.

It has long been understood that ad-
 vertising could be effectively used to
 recommend the purchase of particular
 goods, but it is only beginning to be
 understood how advertising may be
 used to enlighten the public as to
 fundamental conditions, and lead them
 to act in accordance with the common
 interest. There should be more of
 such advertising, and there will be
 more of it as time goes on.

No doubt this Ames Holden-Mc-
 Cready campaign will pay for itself by
 selling more of the company's shoes.
 No doubt it will benefit the dealer who
 carries Ames Holden-McCready shoes
 in stock. The chief significance of this
 advertising is the fact that it is an im-
 portant step in the solution of a na-
 tional problem, no less a problem than
 the supplying of shoes for every man,
 woman and child in Canada.

Ladies' Gloves Marked at Money Saving Prices

About 10 dozen pairs of Morley's Heavy Cape Gloves in tan with over-sewn seams and two-dome fasteners at wrist. Sizes 6, 6½, 6¾, 7, 7½, 8. Regular \$2.50. Remnant Day, a pair **\$1.79**

An odd lot of Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, in white, black, beaver, two-dome fasteners. Sizes 6½, 7 and 7½. Regular 50c. Remnant Day, pair **39c**

Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves, in Fowne's make. Colors tan, brown, black and white; also white with heavy black points. Regular \$1.50. Remnant Day, pair **\$1.29**

Ladies' Knit Gloves in black, grey and brown, stocked in all sizes. Remnant Day, pair **35c**
—Gloves, Main Floor

Gordon's Limited

739 Yates Street

Phone 5510

A List of Bargains From the Infants' Section

Babies' Warm Fall and Winter Bonnets, made of Bear cloth and novelty Eiderdown trimmed with little animal heads and ribbons. Regular \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Remnant Day **98c**

Children's Hats in velvet, felt and corduroy. Regular \$2.50 to \$4.50 values. Remnant Day **\$1.98**

St. Margaret's Famous Make of all-Wool Knit Jerseys for boys and girls, ages 2 to 12 years. Will wear and wash well, only the white being cleared at this price. Remnant Day **\$1.98**

Knitted Toggles in plain colors and stripes. Just the thing for children. Remnant Day **49c**
—First Floor

Thursday Is REMNANT Day

Remnant Day in the Dress Goods and Silk Sections

Plaid and Striped Silks and Satins. The lot includes taffeta and Duchesse satins in various width stripes and size checks, combination of black and white; green, brown and white; 36 inches wide. Regular values to \$2.75. Remnant Day, yard **\$1.98**

Chin Chin Silk Crepes of extra heavy quality for waists and dresses, very similar to crepe de chine, colors sage, straw-berry, navy, Nile green, 36 inches wide. Regular \$1.75. Remnant Day, yard **\$1.23**

Black Paillette Silk, a hard-wearing quality, a rich black and all silk, 39 inches wide. Regular \$1.75. Remnant Day, yard **\$1.35**

Useful Remnants of Silks, Woolens, Linings and Velvets in All Lengths and Colors

Costume Velvets, 3 pieces, some of our old stock and cannot be bought to-day for this price. Colors navy, sage and green, heavy rich pile, 27 inches wide. Regular \$2.75. Remnant Day, yard **\$1.98**

All-Wool Blanket Costings in rich tones and many color combinations. They make very cozy winter coats, colors greys, greens, browns and black, 56 inches wide. Regular \$5.00. Remnant Day, yard **\$3.98**

Dress Goods which include Granite cloth, lustrous, serges and other fancy weaves, in greys, browns, sage, greens, 40 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **\$1.25**

Offering Many Remnant Day Snaps in the Staple Section

Flannelette in a good range of stripes of heavy quality, suitable for shirts and pyjamas; 39 ins. wide. Remnant Day, yard **6 Yards for \$1.00**

Comforters, filled with best purified cotton, covered with silkline in light floral designs; size, 69 x 72. Regular \$8.75. Remnant Day **\$4.98**

Towels—This is your opportunity to lay in a stock of white bath towels, size 20 x 42. Remnant Day, each **33c**

All-Wool Blankets—10 pairs only of all-wool blankets; size 63 x 86; weight, 8 lbs. Regular \$15.00. Remnant Day, pair **\$11.98**

Bleached Sheetings of good heavy quality, 72 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **50c**

All-Wool Eiderdown—This is a splendid material for kimono. Colors red, grey, navy, old rose and pale blue, 54 inches wide. Regular \$2.35. Remnant Day, pair **\$1.49**

Bleached Canton Flannel, 24 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **5 Yards for \$1.00**

Bath Mats—Colors, fawn and pale blue; size, 24 x 40 inches. Regular \$1.50. Remnant Day, each **98c**

Kimono Velours—3 pieces only, in navy, fawn and lavender; fancy designs; 35 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **29c**

Pure White Baby Flannel, 27 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **45c**

Please Note:

These goods will not be sold in wholesale quantities. A limited supply to each customer. We want them to go round. The prices are just about half what the goods are costing to-day.

Remnants and Mill Ends

Here you will find many useful lengths and oddments. Prints, ginghams, longcloth, white cotton, pillow cottons, sheetings, nurse cloths, towellings, Oxford suitings and flannelettes, all priced unusually low for Remnant Day.

Save Money on Dainty Stamped Articles

Stamped and Made-up Pillow Cases, of good quality cotton; simple designs for embroidering. Remnant Day, pair **89c**

Stamped Oddments for embroidering. The lot includes towel racks, tie racks, collar boxes, centres and runners. Reg. up to \$1.00. Remnant Day, each **39c**

Perle Cotton, large balls for crocheting and knitting, colors pink, blue, yellow, black and white. Special, 2 for **25c**
—Main Floor

Flannelette Gowns, Satin Underskirts

\$1.29

\$1.19

50 only, White Flannelette Nightgowns, in good plain practical style with high neck and long sleeves. Special, Remnant Day **\$1.29**

Black Satin Underskirts of extra fine quality. Generous cut styles with deep tucked frill finished with narrow ruffled edge. Regular \$1.75. Remnant Day **\$1.19**

Women's Aprons 39c and 87c

Store Clerks' Black Satin Aprons, in circular style with large pockets. Regular 75c. Remnant Day **39c**
—First Floor

100 only, Bungalow Aprons, made of good quality print in serviceable colors. Regular \$1.25 values. Remnant Day **87c**

Stylish Hats Regular to \$5.00 for \$2.98 Furs Special Remn't Day \$12.95 Each

A Clearance of Ready-to-Wear and Untrimmed Hats in styles suitable for misses and women. They are developed of velvet in black and colors. Regular values \$5.00. Remnant Day **\$2.98**

The Stoles are in the popular animal shapes and the Muffs in Rug and Melon styles. They are developed of black and natural wolf and dog. Extra special. Remnant Day **\$12.95**

Camisoles and Corset Covers

Dainty Camisoles of flesh and white crepe de chine or wash silk, trimmed with fine lace and ribbon, draw, all sizes. Regular \$1.50. Remnant Day **98c**

Corset Covers, made of fine nain-sook and lace trimmed, all sizes. Special, Remnant Day **59c**
—First Floor

Genuine Bargains in Women's and Children's Underwear

Children's Winter Weight Vests, high neck, long sleeves, ages 4 to 12 years. Values to 75c. Remnant Sale Price **49c**

Children's Drawers, to match vests, ankle length, also a few pair of black drawers in this lot. Values to 75c. Remnant Day Price **49c**

Infants' Vests, button front and Ruben style, ages 3 months to 2 years. Regular values 65c. Remnant Day Price **39c**

Women's Winter Weight Union Suits, in V-neck, half sleeve, ankle, high neck, long sleeve, ankle. Regular value, \$2.00. Remnant Sale price **\$1.49**
—Main Floor

Infants' Wool Vests, button front, 3 months to 2 years. Regular \$1.25. Remnant Sale Price **98c**

Children's Fleeced Lined Sleeping Suits, white only, ages 6 months to 3 years. Regular \$1.00. Remnant Sale Price **79c**

Women's White Cotton Vests, medium weight, high neck, long sleeves. Regular 75c and 85c. Remnant Sale Price **48c**

Splendid Savings on Women's and Children's Hosiery

Ladies' Silk Hosiery, in fancy stripes and plain colors, in mauve, grey and white. Regular values, \$1.00 to \$1.25; all sizes. Remnant Day, pair **69c**

Ladies' "Penman" Cashmere Hosiery, in fine all-wool, made with elastic tops, spliced heels and toes. Black only, sizes 8½ to 10. Regular \$1.00 values. Remnant Day, pair **79c**

Boys' Heavy Cotton School Hosiery in 1-1 rib, in black; sizes 6 to 10. Regular 60c values. Remnant Day, pair **39c**

Children's Cashmere Hosiery, in fine wool, in 1-1 rib; black only; sizes 6 and 8½. Regular 35c. Remnant Day, pair **27c**

Ladies' Cashmere Hosiery, made with elastic tops, double sole; size 8½ to 10. Regular 60c value. Remnant Day, pair **48c**

Ladies' "Penman" Cashmere Hosiery, made with elastic tops, reinforced heels and toes. Black, in all sizes. Regular 75c values. Remnant Day, pair **69c**

Ladies' Fleeced-Lined and Cashmerette Hosiery, made with elastic tops, reinforced heels and toes. Black only; size 8½ to 10. Regular 50c values. Remnant Day, 3 pairs for **\$1.00**
—Main Floor

Some Exceptional Bargains From the Ready-to-Wear Section

25 Only, Women's Suits, made of tweeds and wool serge. Splendid styles, well tailored and warmly lined; sizes 16 to 42. No approvals or exchanges on this range. To clear, Remnant Day **\$15.95**

Handsome Black Plush Coats for girls 8 to 15 years. Made long and full, with large storm collars, deep cuffs and belt all around; lined throughout with warm quilted Italian cloth. Regular \$25.00. Remnant Day **\$14.95**

20 Coats selected from our regular stock to sell at this price. They are made of excellent quality wool tweeds and are up-to-date in every detail; sizes 16 to 40. Special, Remnant Day **\$15.95**

A Few Odd Checked Coats in sport style; sizes 12 to 16 years. Regular values to \$25.00. Remnant Day **\$2.98**

A Few Silk Dress Skirts in plain colors and Roman stripes. Regular \$7.50 to \$12.50 values. Remnant Day **\$6.95**
—First Floor

The House Furnishing Section Offers Many Good Remnant Day Bargains

Reg. to 75c Curtain Materials Yard 39c

A clean-up of about twenty-five good styles, all old stock and nice fresh goods. A choice of voile scrim and marquisette in white, cream and ecru; colored seed marquisette in light and dark blue, rose and yellow, pretty all-over styles; all-over and bordered Scotch curtain nets; cream and white Madras muslin; 30, 40 and 45 inches wide. Regular 60c, 65c and 75c values. Remnant Day, yard **39c**

200 Yards White Curtain Scrim Yard 16c

200 yards only and about half the present value, in pure white only. A good heavy thread that will stand hard wear; full 36 inches wide. Remnant Day, yard **16c**

Reg. \$2.25 Congoleum Rugs Each \$1.49

25 only of these for quick selling Remnant Day. Size 36 x 72 and 36 x 54. These are old stock and regular old prices. A good selection of wood and carpet designs. Regular \$1.65 and \$2.25 values. Remnant Day, each **\$1.49**

Reg. to \$2.50 Made-up Cushions Each \$1.39

Only a limited quantity to go at this price. Covered with cretonne, chintz, taffeta, etc., with backs of contrasting material, finished with a wide frill effect. Just about the present price of the white forms used inside. Regular \$1.75 to \$2.50 values. Remnant Day, each **\$1.39**

Reg. to \$1.45 Linoleum and Congoleum Remnants, Yard 79c

About twenty-five of these to go at a Remnant Day price. Good heavy Cork Linoleum and Congoleum. Lengths from 3 yards to 10 yards. Regular \$1.00 to \$1.45 values. Remnant Day, square yard **79c**

10 Dozen Dark Green Window Shades, Each 69c

Only ten dozen to go at this price Remnant Day, dark green opaque Window Shades, with spring roller, pull and laces complete. Worth at least \$1.00 each. Size 37 x 72 inches. Remnant Day, each **69c**

Worthy Values in Laces and Embroideries

4 Pieces of All-over Lace, in cream and white, shadow patterns on net. Values to 75c. Remnant Day, yard **49c**

Cotton Valenciennes and Torchon Edgings, in widths ¼ to 1 inch. Regular 39c per dozen yards. Remnant Day, per dozen yards **23c**

65 Yards of Net-Lace Edgings in cream and white, suitable for making collars; width, 4½ inches. Values to 35c. Remnant Day, yard **13c**

Extra Fine Quality Embroideries, suitable for making underwear, infants' wear and corset covers; 22 inches wide. Regular 85c and \$1.00. Remnant Day, yard **59c**

Women's Waists Greatly Reduced

Silk Crepe-de-Chine Waists in maize, flesh and white. Pretty styles, with hemstitched and tucked fronts; novelty collars; sizes 36 to 44. Regular \$2.95. Remnant Day, **\$1.98**

25 Only of these dainty Voile and Lawn Waists, in sizes 38 to 44. Regular \$2.95. Remnant Day **98c**
—First Floor

Two Bargains in Hand Bags Reg. to 65c Ribbons at 39c Yd.

Ladies' Black Leather Handbags, neatly lined and fitted with change purse and mirror. Regular \$1.25. Remnant Day **98c**

About two dozen Kiddies' Black Leatherette Purses; Regular 35c. Remnant Day **19c**

Wide Striped Silk and Double-Faced Satin Ribbons in a good variety of colors. Regular 50c and 65c. Remnant Day, yard **39c**

Useful Ribbon Remnants and Cut Lengths in various lengths and widths, all marked at Remnant Day prices. —Main Floor

Big Values in Handkerchiefs

An Odd Line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, with colored borders, also white with embroidered corners and some with lace edge. Regular 20c. Remnant Day, each **20c**

About five dozen Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, in size 13 x 13 inches. Splendid value at 4 for **25c**
—Main Floor

Values to \$3.25 Necklaces 98c Ladies' Suede Belts 59c

A big variety of Beaded Necklaces. Regular values to \$3.25. To clear Remnant Day **98c**

An odd line of Ladies' Suede Belts, in shades of navy, green, brown and black. Regular value 75c. Remnant Day **59c**

Three Big Bargains From the Corset Section

A Corset that cannot be replaced at this price. Made of heavy quality white coutil, medium bust, long skirt, lace trimmings, four hose supports; sizes 19 to 30. Remnant Day, pair **98c**

Bust Forms, made with frills or down-filled pads, detachable, lace and embroidery trimmings; sizes 32 and 34 only. Regular values, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Remnant Day, each **59c**

Children's Knit Waists of good quality. Button holes are knitted-in and tape reinforced. An exceptionally low price for a waist of this quality. Reg. 75c; sizes 2 to 12 years. Remnant Day **49c**
—First Floor

Neckwear, Scarves and Veils Marked Away Down for Thursday

About 30 odd pieces of smart Neckwear in organdie, voile and pique. Plain or daintily trimmed with lace. Remnant Day, each **19c**

Pretty Boudoir Caps in shades of sky, pink and yellow, trimmed with Valenciennes lace; good size. Value, 85c. Remnant Day **68c**

War Bride Veils in many becoming styles. Colors, nigger brown, black. These smart veils give a finished touch to your fall hat. Regular 98c. Remnant Day, each **73c**

40 Only, Brushed Wool Scarves in striped effects; colors, pink, Nile, paddy, blue, yellow, old rose, red, white and black, finished with contrasting colors. Length, 52 x 9. Values, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Remnant Day **98c**

A range of English Silk Scarves in shades of sky, pink, brown, grey, purple and sage; plain or fancy weave; good length. Remnant Day **\$1.50**

Slip-on Veils—Special Remnant Day, each **10c**
—Main Floor